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PHONE THE TIMES, B 3131, FOR CITY VOTE RESULTS

The Victoria Times tonight will provide a telephone service on the civic election count. Phone number is Beacon 3131 for the latest running count of votes. City Hall Reporter Aileen Campbell will be at the city market counting centre to supply the information as it develops. First figures are expected about 7.30 p.m.

U.N. Fighters Down 13 Migs

Allied Pilots In Greatest One-Day Triumph Of War Against Big Odds

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, Korea, Dec. 13 (UP).—Outnumbered American Sabrejet fighter planes destroyed 13 Russian-made MIG-15 jets today and damaged three more in a series of blazing aerial battles over North Korea.

One American plane was lost, but not due to enemy action. It had a "flameout"—the fire in its jet engine went out, cutting off all power and forcing the plane down.

One United States Air Force pilot—Maj. George A. Davis Jr. of Lubbock, Tex., destroyed four of the Migs to become the ace of aces of Korean jet warfare. His total of downed Red Migs is now nine.

In today's fighting, 64 Sabrejets battled 145 of the Migs to win the biggest jet-to-jet victory of the war.

With the odds nearly five to one against them, the total fo the American airmen was 13 Migs shot down, two so seriously damaged that they probably crashed and one damaged less seriously.

Never before in the history of combat solely between jet planes had one side lost so many aircraft in a single day. However, American superfortresses and escorting American jets together shot down 14 Migs last April 12.

There were two battles, one in the morning over Northwest Korea, the other in the afternoon all the way across the Communist-held part of the peninsula from east to west.

In the morning battle, 36 Sabrejets fought an estimated 100 of the Communist jets, destroying four and damaging one in a 20-minute dogfight.

In the afternoon battle, 28 Sabrejets destroyed nine out of a fleet of 45 Migs in a wild 30-minute fight all the way from Sinanju on the northwest coast to Wonsan on the northeast coast.

TRUMAN DECLINES TO DISCUSS KOREA

Reds Stubbornly Refuse To Tell How Many U.N. Prisoners They Hold; Allies Firm

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13 (AP).—President Truman would not discuss the Korean truce negotiations for publication at his press conference today. The question came up, but his brief answer was made off the record.

Meanwhile, at Panmunjom, Korea, the Communists stubbornly refused today to tell how many United Nations war prisoners they hold and backed down on a 1950 promise to abide by the Geneva convention in their treatment of captives.

The U.N. retaliated by refusing even to consider a Communist five-point prisoner exchange program because they feared any mass reliease of Allied prisoners under present circumstances might lead to a "death march in reverse."

Both the joint U.N.-Communist sub-committee discussing an exchange of prisoners and another trying to work out a method of policing an armistice found themselves deadlocked at the end of the day. However, both will meet again at 11 a.m. Friday.

In the "policing" sub-committee the Communists strenuously opposed the U.N. demand for continued rotation of American troops during an armistice.

They also reiterated that the U.N. demand for a ban on new airport construction and inspection behind their lines other than at ports of entry for truce violations constituted interference with North Korea's internal affairs.

North Korean Maj-Gen. Lee Song conceded in the other sub-committee that North Korea had pledged itself in 1950 to "strictly observe the principles" of the Geneva convention on the humane treatment of war prisoners.

But, he said, that did not mean the Communist regime had promised to observe the convention "as a whole."

B.C. Crown Lands May Be Open To Government Aid

All Crown lands thrown open for settlement and farming in the northern segments of British Columbia may soon become eligible for federal aid under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act, it is learned here.

Agriculture Minister Gardiner gave notice on the Commons order paper today of a proposed resolution to broaden the terms of the act during the current session of Parliament, says a C.P. dispatch.

Officials disclosed that the proposed amendment is aimed principally at new settlers opening up the Peace River area of northern Alberta and overflowing into British Columbia.

While grateful for the anticipated aid, provincial government officials explain the domestic water problem is the big headache in the northern sections of the province.

They explain that B.C. has been pressing for extensions to the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act under which water supply and land clearing aid is given.

The difficulty in obtaining adequate water supply, more than anything else, is holding back development in the northern sections, an official said.

Federal aid for construction of small dams and dugouts would stimulate settlement greatly, he said.

Aid for settlers for land clearing purposes also would be a boon.

There is a reluctance to settle in the northern parts because of the large cost of clearing land, he said.

Under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act, federal aid is granted to western grain farmers who may be hit by drought, disease or bad growing and harvesting conditions which may drastically reduce or wipe out their grain crops.

As the act now stands, new Crown lands opened for settlement after 1940 are not eligible for the federal aid, though there are certain exceptions, such as land taken up by veterans and school land.

The amendment will specify that all Crown lands north of township 60—in Alberta about 40 miles north of Edmonton—will become eligible. The line will run a few miles north of Prince George.

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Feller asks me would I like t' be driven t' th' polls. Not in this country, I says, I'll go voluntarily an' of my own free will.

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Paper sez, Vancouver Frowns On Sunday Sports. I frowned on a couple las' Sunday who whizzed past me and splashed mud on m' good suit.

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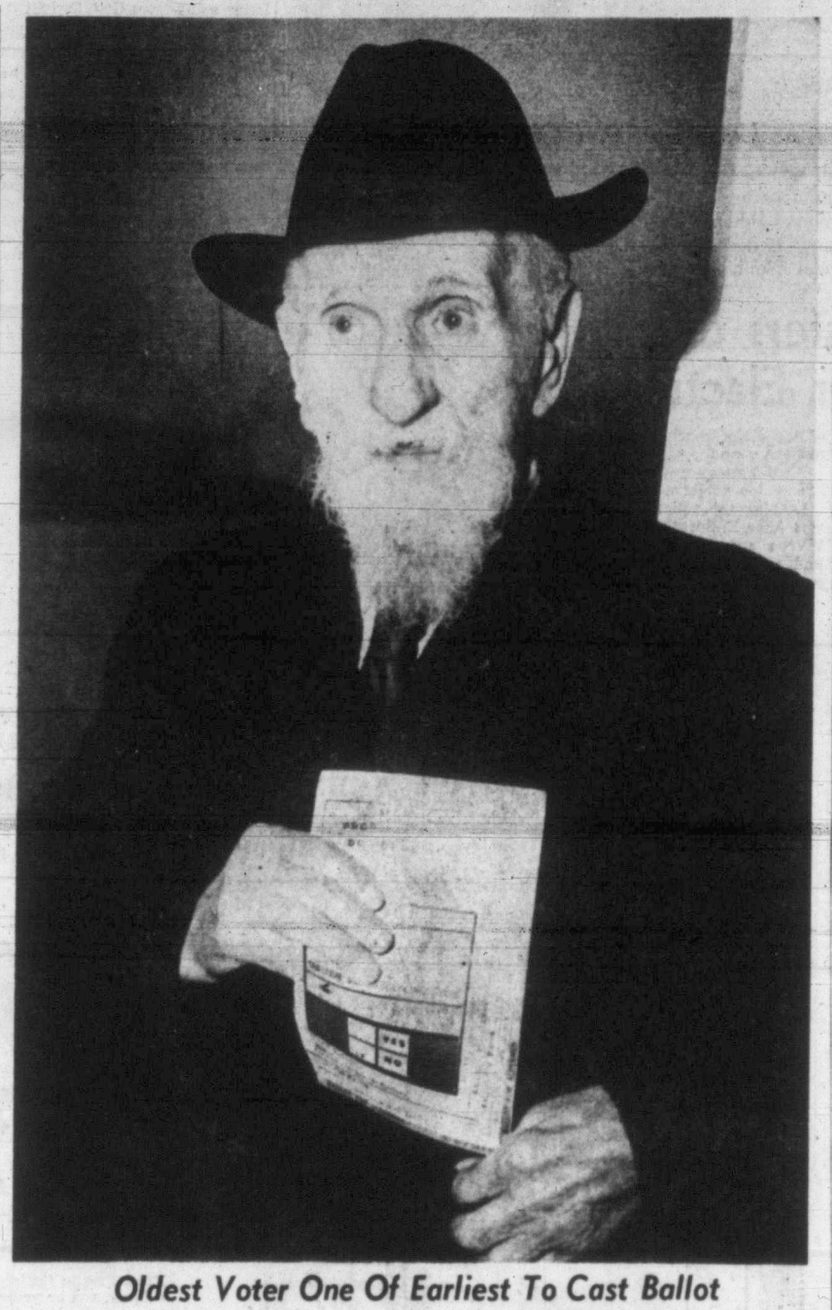
It's too late t' vote in Eastern Europe, but y' hev till seven o'clock t'night here.



Oldest Voter One Of Earliest To Cast Ballot

Sam Rainey, 819 Fort, 102 years old, was not only oldest voter in today's election, he was also one of earliest. "I've voted in all civic elections. . . . Early you say? I'm always early. Was born before breakfast—3 in the morning." Brought to polls by friends, Mrs. E. Edwards and H. W. Norris, patriarchal-looking Mr. Rainey shows ballots received from polling clerk. (Times photo.)

Egyptian Premier Recalls Envoy To Great Britain In 'Aggression' Protest

CAIRO, Egypt, Dec. 13 (Reuters)—Premier Nahas Pasha tonight announced the government's decision to recall Ambassador Amr Pasha from London.

He said the decision was made in protest at "British aggression" against Egypt in the Suez Canal zone. Under the Anglo-Egyptian treaty of friendship — which Egypt denounced in October — British troops are stationed in the zone.

Since Egypt announced its decision to get them out, shooting affrays in the zone have been frequent, culminating last weekend in the destruction of a number of peasants' huts by British army engineers building a road.

Meanwhile, fresh shooting incidents in the Suez Canal zone were reported today.

A British army truck driver was shot and killed near Ismailia Wednesday night. Earlier, shots were fired and a bomb was tossed at a British army vehicle. There were no casualties in the bombing.

United States Ambassador Jefferson Caffery today called on acting foreign minister Ibrahim Farag Pasha for the second time in two days.

Caffery told reporters afterwards they discussed Middle East questions, including Anglo-Egyptian relations.

Observers here believe Caffery's visits reflect American anxiety over worsening relations between Britain and Egypt.

Egyptian newspapers, meanwhile, reported that British troops are planning to destroy a second village in the canal zone, this time near Ismailia. A British spokesman denied the reports "categorically."

Egyptian snipers are continuing terrorist attacks by night, a British official said.

BIG AIRCRAFT DOWN IN ITALY

MILAN, Italy, Dec. 13 (Reuters). — The air rescue station at Milan airport reported today a "large plane" had crashed in flames in the Grand Valley, northwest of Novara, in the Italian Alps today. The plane was believed to be flying from Switzerland.

4 Die When Giant Water Tank Topples

TUCUMCARI, N.M., Dec. 13 (AP).—A 750,000-gallon water tank collapsed today killing four persons and causing damage estimated in millions of dollars.

Giving way with a deep rumble, the tank loosed a flood through the business district about 4.10 a.m. The cause was not determined.

Water up to waist deep spread devastation over an area three blocks wide and, in a lessening degree as the distance grew, one-quarter of a mile long. The scene was compared with that of a bomb strike.

Two business places, the city warehouse and about 15 homes—mostly of adobe (mud brick)—were laid waste. Pieces of three-eights-inch thick steel from the tank were scattered over a city block.

Rescuers, including quickly-mobilized national guardsmen, recovered four bodies. There were no reports of any persons missing. The last to be found, a boy three or four years old, was under a 250-foot section of the tank.

Servicemen Being 'Milked' Court Hears

The manner in which some service men were being "milked" in Victoria was described as vicious usury by Magistrate A. I. Thomas in city police court today.

He made this comment after imposing a $100 fine against Gordon Quan, young Fisgard Street Chinese businessman, on a charge of carrying on a business as pawnbroker without a city permit.

Quan pleaded guilty Wednesday.

"I want the maximum penalty of $100 under this by-law!" exclaimed Prosecutor James J. Proudfoot. He had explained Wednesday that Quan had been accepting watches from military personnel for $5 loans and charging $6.25 for redemption of the timepieces.

Proudfoot indicated there were others carrying on this type of business.

"Frankly, I feel sure the city would never condone such tactics and therefore never grant a license," the prosecutor declared.

Plane Search In Alberta

CALGARY, Dec. 13 (CP).—Search planes and ground rescue parties today were dispatched to the Turner Valley area southwest of here after a district farmer reported spotting an aircraft down in his field.

The aircraft was believed the Harvard training plane which vanished Wednesday while flying through a southern Alberta snowstorm. Turner Valley is about 25 miles southeast of Calgary.

Fishboat Missing

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13 (CP)—An R.C.A.F. Canso took off from Vancouver today to search for a fishboat missing since last Saturday with one man aboard.

The vessel, Mv. Forager, with owner E. A. Pratt aboard, left Bowl Harbor for Winter Harbor Dec. 8, with only half-a-day's rations and has not been heard from since.

H.M.C.S. Heatherington has been patrolling the area for two days without result.

Voters Swarm To City Polls

LESS TALK SUGGESTED

OTTAWA, Dec. 13 (CP)—Members of the Commons soon will be asked to shorten their speeches. Indications are they will not agree.

A select committee, headed by Speaker Ross Macdonald, recommended today that, as an experiment during the 1952 session, the speeches of private members be limited to a half hour. The limit now is 40 minutes.

Collective Hug Greets Navy Ship

700 Ontario Seamen Welcomed At Base

It was better than Christmas for hundreds of Victoria wives and children who filed through the gates of H.M.C.S. Naden this morning.

And old Saint Nick never had such a reception as most of the bluejackets who poured off the cruiser Ontario when she berthed at the Esquimalt base after 3½ months on the east coast.

Mixed with the touching embraces of husbands and wives, were the buoyant activities of hundreds of children.

One babe in arms, who had been carefully tutored by its mother to say "Hi, Daddy," remained silent for some time when the father was finally found in the great mass of people. Then, after a little prompting, the child looked up and said "Bye, Daddy."

Another youngster, who had important news, tugged on his father's arm as he kissed the mother, and announced "Did you know I'm a seconder in Cubs now?"

FIRST MAN OFF

First man off the big 9,000-ton vessel when it docked was Leading Seaman Les Jenkinson, of Winnipeg. Being first for him is no novelty.

"I'm always first," he declared with pride.

Driver of the ship's jeep, he was swung ashore by the ship's derrick before all the lines were secured. He had the engine running before his car hit the ground and was off shortly after to get the mail from the post office.

Distinction of being the first man down the gangplank went to Leading Seaman John Harvey of Edmonton.

Among the 700-odd blue-clad figures scurrying about aboard ship, Capt. George Russel, of the Army Medical Corps, stood out like a beacon in his khaki dress.

But though he looked out of place, he didn't feel it. As ship's dentist, he is used to sailors.

"How do I like it?" he declared. "Why, I like it fine."

Capt. E. P. Tisdall, captain of the Ontario, was as glad as his crew to be back home, although he said the voyage to the east and back had been just fine.

The ship's role in transporting Princess Elizabeth and Prince Philip to various maritime points went beautifully, the captain said. The Royal pair spent two days and two nights aboard the ship.

When they left aboard the Empress of France to return to Britain, the Ontario provided escort for a short way out.

PLANS PUB FOR INDIANS ONLY

WILLIAMS LAKE, B.C., Dec. 13 (CP)—A new pub for Indians only will open here Saturday.

At the request of local Indians, Benny Abbott, proprietor of the Maple Leaf Hotel here, has converted the hotel's cafe into a drinking spot for Indians only.

NO TAMPERING, PLEASE!

Vancouver Voters Say No To Open Sabbaths

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13 (CP)—For the second straight year Vancouver voters have said they want no tampering with their traditionally-quiet Sundays.

Although a Vancouver Sunday is quiet, indeed, a civic election plebiscite on the issue was rejected Wednesday by a margin of more than 6,000.

The plebiscite asked voters if they were in favor of allowing commercial sports, cultural events and theatre performances between the hours of 2 p.m. and midnight on the Sabbath.

The vote was 24,813 in favor of relaxing Sunday laws and 31,091 against. In any event, the plebiscite was actually no more than an opinion poll to guide city council. Any changes would require approval of the British Columbia legislature.

Best Turn-Out In Years As Young, Old Seek Ballot

Biggest number of early voters Returning Officer Frank Hunter has seen in quarter of a century streamed into Public Market polling station at 9 today on an "ideal" election day.

Sunny and cold, it brought out voters from 21 to 102-year-old Sam Rainey.

By 12 noon the vote was 2,873 compared with 1,897 for last year's non-mayoral election and 2,664 for 12 noon of the 1949 mayoral contest.

"Total poll on past performance, judging by the 12 o'clock tally, should run between 10,000 and 12,000," said Hunter. "It would be a record number of votes."

Estimates placed the first wave of voters to hit 20 polling booths at 150 strong.

By door-opening time, a line-up of 50 was behind first voter, H. K. "Pat" Bate, Saanich councillor and Victoria barrister.

There were businessmen with brief cases and housewives with shopping bags . . . doctors, lawyers, politicians, laborers, merchants, retired folk. All were ready to cast ballots after a week of some of the most colorful campaigning in the city's history, with four mayoral candidates, 14 aldermanic and two police commissioner candidates.

Between 9 and 10 this morning there were even line-ups at some of the individual polling booths.

"It's extraordinary," remarked Hunter, smiling.

MORE THAN BEFORE

There was more of everything at today's election . . . more candidates in earlier to vote, more polling booths, 20, and clerks, 54, than ever before, more ballots, 17,000, and, most important—more voters.

The political fate of 20 men and women depends on where they mark their "X's."

To facilitate car moving and parking in front of the market, traffic chief Robert Doble had the heads of 26 meters removed. They were not "bagged" as the hood indicates parking is prohibited.

"That isn't the idea today," said Doble.

This year's voters' list contains a record number of 19,620 names, comprising 16,857 prperty owners, 2,296 householders, 467 licensees. Last year's total was 18,893.

Polls will close at 7 tonight and counting of votes will start immediately, according to Hunter.

First tallies will be reported by 8 o'clock and the complete count is expected about 11, depending on size of the poll. A recount will follow immediately.

Death Toll In Typhoon Totals 541

MANILA, Dec. 13 (AP).—Delayed reports from Leyte Island today boosted the death toll of Monday's typhoon to 541.

The same typhoon turned on itself and is sweeping back toward the Philippines from the west while another is bearing down on the islands from the east.

Southern Leyte, the island on which American forces returned to the Philippines in the Second World War, bore the brunt of Monday's battering storm.

The Philippines News Service reported the mayors of two Leyte towns announced 211 bodies counted in their areas alone. Abuyog, 35 miles south of Tacloban on Leyte Gulf, reported 176 dead. Another 135 dead were reported at Sogod on the southern tip of Leyte.

Officials listed 146 known dead in the Tacloban area and around the entrance to Surigao Strait.

Eighty-four dead previously had been reported from three other islands in the group—Cebu, Negros and Panay.

An estimated 150,000 were homeless. Property damage from destroyed homes, uprooted coconut and banana groves, flattened cane and rice fields ran into uncounted millions of dollars.

Prairies Hit By Cold Spell

EDMONTON, Dec. 13 (CP)—The first major cold spell of the winter has all the prairies tight in its grip today.

Fresh north winds overnight swept away the last trace of the late mild spell and brought some snow to all regions. The heaviest snowfall was in western Alberta where an average of two inches was reported in the last 24 hours.

Temperatures today and Friday will be well below normal for mid-December. Overnight lows will average 10 to 15 below tonight. In most regions the mercury will remain below zero all day Friday.

The weather office said there is no prospect of any moderation for the next two or three days.

Mossadegh's Supporters Hurl Threats

TEHRAN, Iran, Dec. 13 (AP).—Some 30,000 Nationalist supporters of Premier Mohammed Mossadegh massed before parliament today and roared "death to the enemies of Mossadegh!" The crowd appeared menacing, but broke up later without violence.

Inside the parliament building, the Majlis (lower House) discreetly decided to postpone until Sunday a public meeting originally scheduled for today. Instead they met in secret session.

However, most of the threats and vilification were directed at Iranian opponents of the aged premier who led the successful fight to nationalize Iran's British-controlled oil industry.

More than a score of trucks, filled with troops bearing rifles and machine guns, blocked the main gates of the Majlis.

Apparently anxious to avoid a recurrence of last Thursday's bloodshed, husky youths wearing arm bands checked the identity of everyone entering the square. In last Thursday's clash between Nationalists and Communists, at least eight persons were killed and more than 200 injured.

Big Three Offer Revised Disarmament Plan to U.N.

PARIS, Dec. 13 (AP) — The United States, Britain and France today introduced in the United Nations a revised disarmament plan. It retains basic ideas of their original proposals but makes some changes on secondary issues in an effort to reach an agreement with Russia.

The new resolution leaves unchanged the major western demands for closely-supervised, step-by-step arms cuts. The Big Three also refused to bow to the Soviet Union's insistence that the atom bomb be prohibited immediately.

The resolution was circulated to the delegations today. U.S. Ambassador Philip Jessup lost a chance to explain it publicly this afternoon because the 60-country political committee cancelled its scheduled session so that delegates could attend the general assembly meeting. Jessup will speak Friday.

Comparison of the new text with the original shows that almost every paragraph has been changed, although in some cases there was only minor modification of wording.

A western source said Jessup, State Minister Selwyn Lloyd of Britain and French delegate Jules Moch had worked almost all Wednesday night making the revisions.

The new version maintains the western point of view that there cannot be an immediate and unconditional prohibition of the atomic bomb without prior foolproof international control.

However, it bows to Russian demands for revisions on secondary issues in order to continue the announced western policy of trying to broaden areas of agreement between east and west.

Anybody who puts off shopping until the last minute ought to have his head examined. After diagnosing Alley Oop's dome, doctors said he'd better shop soon.

ONE WOMAN'S DAY

By NANCY HODGES

SANTA CLAUS SPIRIT

JUST AS SURE as Christmas comes along there inevitably looms the perennial controversy about Santa Claus. An eastern sociologist comes along and says that the Santa Claus myth has lived too long in terms of child's psychology and that parents should substitute "democratic philosophy" for it.

What he seems to mean by that is that children should learn to get along on their own, instead of basing the fulfilment of their wishes and dreams on a white-whiskered, elderly sprite who comes down chimneys on Christmas Eve.

KINDLY TEACHER

ON THE OTHER hand, another eastern philospher, who is also an exponent of mental hygiene, takes the stand that the Santa Claus myth should be encouraged. His particular view seems to be that the genial old saint is a means of teaching children kindness, generosity and honesty, a tangible token of the Christmas spirt of "goodwill to all."

As one who belongs to the latter, more old-fashioned school, I adhere to the belief that there is definitely a place for the right kind of Father Christmas—and definitely a right time and place for his appearance. Frankly, I question the sluse in bringing him on the scene in early November. Nor do I like his appearance to be in quadruplicate or quintuplicate—even if that repetitive theme is to be expected in this bureaucratic age.

CHILDREN PUZZLED

HIS SIMULTANEOUS APPEARANCE in a multiplicity of places is apt to be bewildering to the small fry; nor is their puzzlement lessened by the length of his stay. Fortunately, many of them are too young to realize the extent to which the spirit of Christmas, as exemplified in Santa Claus, has been commercialized, but it is not to be wondered at that, to the more sophisticated youngster of eight of ten, Santa Claus has become merely a symbol of the "gimme" spirit.

What Santa really needs is a new personification, if I can put it that way. Under the crass materialism of the age, he has become to mean expensive electric toy trains and dolls in mink coats, the embodiment of extravagant largesse, egging parents and progeny on to spending more than they can afford in order that little Mary's stocking shall not be outdone by that of the neighbor's child.

OFTEN ATTACKED

THE CONTROVERSY between the psychologist and the philosopher to which I alluded isn't the first time Santa has been attacked, by any means. He has been called a sycophant of the rich, a pauperizer of the poor, a breeder of neuroses and a disturber of the peace. His reality has been argued in nurseries and playgrounds and his worth challenged in forums and families over the centuries.

But his ability to survive is such that he will probably continue to be assailed and questioned—and will outlive those much more tangible things that disintegrate under the stress of nuclear fission.

In that connection, I well recall a Christmas story written over half a cenury ago by G. K. Chesterton, based on the theme of the survival of Santa Claus.

WILL NEVER DIE

WITH his brilliant pen he wrote of looking in a poor little London toy shop on Christmas Eve. As he gazed, he seemed to be transported into a dream world of fantasy, in which he met Charles Dickens, Ben Jonson, Christopher Marlowe, Shakespeare, Robin Hood—and Santa Claus.

And as those literary "greats" saw Santa, they expressed astonishment at his survival, for each had lived through an era which had supposedly seen his end.

But Father Christmas replied, in part: "A lot of people have tried to kill me, but I seem to keep on living . . . I've always given presents and I'm too old to change now. Gad, I'm nearly 2,000 years old. All the modern people say I make people superstitious and too visionary . . . I don't know what they want." To which Dickens replied: "Gentlemen, a toast to Father Christmas. He will never die!"

IN STEP WITH TIMES

SO IT seems to me that it is not a question of getting rid of Santa Claus for, as Chesterton shows, that will never be done, but of re-making the old gentelman over. Perhaps he could be induced to go back again to the pre-commercial spirit of Christmas, when his capacious sack carried simpler toys, of a more primitive type which called forth more initiative from the children that used them.

I believe the youngsters would like it better, too. For who hasn't seen, over and over again, the phenomenon of the child who, overwhelmed with expensive gifts, soon discards them for the old and battered Teddy bear or the improvised sausepan-drum?

Veterans Guests At Laundry Staff Christmas Party

New Method Laundries Ltd. employees and guests sat down to sumptuous banquet Wednesday night at Empress Hotel. Guest of honor was Hon. Nancy Hodges. Others were Veterans' Hospital administrator Maj. E. G. Drage, matron Miss E. Roberts, and four veteran patients. Music was by Hometowners and Bernie Ryall.

'HONORED AND PLEASED'

Eisenhower Lauds Canada's Army, Air Force In Europe

OTTAWA, Dec. 13 (BUP)—Defense headquarters released a letter today from Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower in which the supreme commander of the North Atlantic Treaty Army said he was "honored and pleased" to have Canada's 27th Infantry Brigade in Europe.

In a letter to Defense Minister Brooke Claxton, Eisenhower said that "the presence of these troops, in addition to the Canadian Air Force already allocated, gives further re-assurance of Canada's determination in the cause of peace."

The R.C.A.F. has one jet fighter squadron attached to N.A.T.O. forces at present, with two more slated to go overseas early next year. Eventually, Canada will have 11 fighter squadrons in Europe.

FIGHT RESULTS

MIAMI BEACH, Fla.—Bobby Dikes, 152½, San Antonio, Tex., outpointed Joe Giardelli, 156, Philadelphia (10).

JET PLANE CRASHES

NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 12 (AP).—A B45 jet plane with three men aboard plunged into Chesapeake Bay near Thimble Shoal Light today. No survivors were sighted. The plane was from Langley air force base.

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N.P.A. Registers Sweep In Vancouver Election

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13 (CP)—Civic Non-Partisan Association candidates scored nearly a clean sweep in Vancouver's civic elections Wednesday.

Final results announced early today showed they had elected three of four aldermen, all four school trustees and all three park commissioners.

Former mayor Jack Cornett, who entered the race as an independent this year, gained the other seat on the council.

Voters approved an extension of the civic franchise to all Canadians over the age of 21 years.

They also approved $3,750,000 by-law for public works.

Leading the poll for aldermen was Anna E. Sprott with Halford Wilson and R. K. Gervin, second and third. All were sponsored by the N.P.A.

$5,000 GIVEN TO U.B.C.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 12 (CP)—Scholarships in medicine, arts and science totaling $5,000 have been presented to the University of British Columbia by Dr. Leonard Horvath, the president's office announced today.

Dr. Horvath, a former Hungarian bank president who has lived here since 1939, said he was making the awards "in appreciation for the fine work of Vancouver doctors." He added that he was impressed by the efficient work of U.B.C. and its professors.

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BATE BAITED, BITES

Old-Time Heckling Fun For Saanich Ratepayers

Saanich electors came out with an organized heckling campaign Wednesday night at a pre-election meeting in Mount View High School reminiscent of the long-dead campaigns prior to press and radio.

The subject—and victor—was Councillor H. K. "Pat" Bate, standing for re-election after serving a one-year term on the municipal council.

While discussing the sidewalk issue, one irate senior resident asked why board sidewalks laid in 1922 were never maintained.

"I don't know," the young councillor admitted. "I wasn't even born then."

Others queried the forthcoming sidewalk referendum, asking for one mill to build sidewalks adjacent to schools. One woman was quite concerned about children living outside the sidewalk area.

"Not so much congestion there," Bate said, "and anyway, we're making a start."

Ex-councillor John Oliver charged that an extra $15,000 waterworks profit was made by increased charges to large consumers.

"Until the rates were raised you were getting water at less than cost," Bate said. "I refuse to see the little consumer subsidizing the big one."

Before he could say more Reeve Joseph W. Casey jumped into the breach.

"Don't let large consumers fool you," the reeve said. "It is the people who pay $1.50 for water that costs us 16 cents that provide the profit, not the large consumers."

MOORINGS ESTABLISHED

The Department of Transport served notice on mariners today that four large mooring buoys have been established off Ore Landing Wharf, Campbell River.

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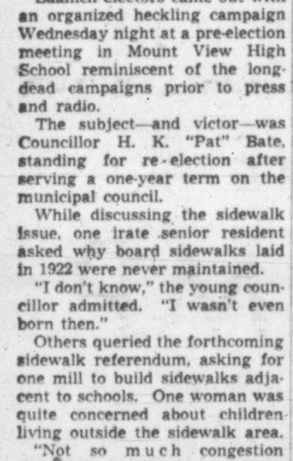

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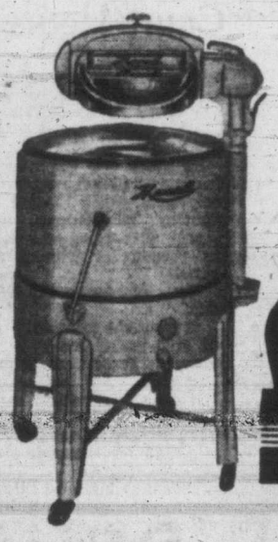

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By PHILIP LEE

Condensed from CP, AP, and UP Dispatches

STIFF—In Washington, U.S. officials said today they will have some stiff questions to shoot at Prime Minister Winston Churchill during his talks with President Truman next month.

Dismissing any notions that they will be sideline observers during all the Truman-Churchill conferences, these officials said the famed British statesman will be called on to explain, among other things, Britain's:

1. "Stand-offish" attitude toward European unity.
2. Reluctance to establish an Atlantic naval command.
3. Lagging coal production.

Churchill also will meet determined resistance to formal recreation of Second World War-type American-British boards or an early Big Four parley with Russian Premier Josef Stalin.

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BABEL—It could have been United Nations day in court Wednesday, in London, Ont.

Judge D. P. J. Kelly, Irish, listened to an argument between Philip Weshik and Gregory Babenko, two Russians who spoke in Ukrainian. The arguments were translated into English by an Estonian and the men were represented by a Jewish lawyer.

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KISSLESS — In Los Angeles Mrs. Mary Catherine Gueci, 19, St. Louis paint fortune heiress, once acquitted of murdering her father, won a divorce from her 20-year-old husband with testimony he left her kissless for the first seven months of their marriage.

When he finally got around to kissing her, she told Superior Judge William R. McKay Wednesday, "it was on New Year's Eve and he was a little 'high.'"

The husband, Singer Gabriel S. Gueci, appeared at the trial but said he came only to make sure his wife got her divorce and to "refute her lies."

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RETURN — In Hollywood, shapely Shelley Winters said today she has returned the "friendship" ring Actor Farley Granger gave her because the top man in her life now is Italian Actor Vittorio Gassman.

The blonde actress insisted Granger's ring was merely a token of "friendship" but she "gave it back anyway" because she didn't want to complicate her romance with Gassman.

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ELOPE—In Concord, N.H., the 16-year-old son of a bank president and the 15-year-old daughter of a letter carrier were believed eloping to New Mexico today and police along the route were asked to watch for them.

Peter Bartlett, son of the president of the Merrimac County Savings Bank, left home for high school Tuesday morning and has not been seen since. His schoolmate, Louise L. Roers, a sophomore, also failed to arrive for classes.

The first word of their disappearance came from one of the girl's chums who telephoned Mrs. Roers to say that Peter and Louise were going to New Mexico to get married.

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TURMOIL—In Vancouver, the convention of B.C. police magistrates was thrown into a turmoil Wednesday when the coat of one of the magistrates was reported stolen from a coat rack outside convention headquarters.

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BUSY—In Paris, fashionable Grande Maison de Blanc department store was busy today filling "an order from King Farouk for baby clothes."

Marcel Bloch, director of the store, confirmed receipt of the order from the Egyptian monarch, who married Narriman Sadek last May 6.

Unconfirmed reports said the order totaled $27,000.

WILDCAT — In Miles City, Mont., "Jerry the Wildcat," a 17-year-old girl so tough she had to be jailed in a cell within a cell, today awaited sentencing with a young companion for the murder of a ranch-hand that netted them $58.

A first-degree murder verdict was returned Wednesday by a jury of eight men and four women against Mrs. Evelyn Donges and her 16-year-old boy friend, Tom La Fave.

The verdict ended the brief but violent crime career of the Wildcat, whose favorite outfit was a tight-fitting sweater.

But while she was on the prowl, Jerry made a wild tour of the West that included robbery, prostitution and eventually murder.

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TRIP—In North Bay the Dionne quintuplets will make their first trip to the United States in more than a year when they attend a winter carnival at St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 26-Feb. 3.

Dionne

Oliva Dionne, father of Canada's famous five, said Wednesday the Quints' youngest brother, five-year-old Claude, would also go along.

ENCORE—Martha Morris Devigier, 16-year-old bobby sox "Cinderella" who married her "Prince Charming" twice and then left him after less than two months, was reported on a second honeymoon today with the wealthy Swiss industrialist.

Friends of the dark-eyed high school junior said her handsome husband, Roland Devigier, 28, convinced her that their separation was all a big mistake and whisked her away on a second honeymoon Tuesday night in his Cadillac.

The couple was reported en route to Phoenix, Ariz., but that could not be confirmed.

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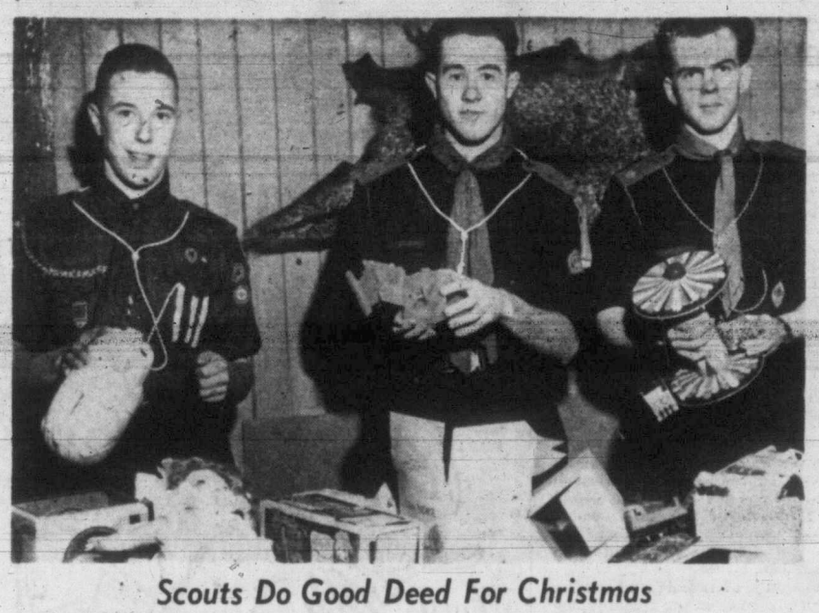
NEWS—When a man shoots a rabbit it isn't news.

But Julius Monroe of Baltimore got shot by a rabbit.

Monroe said he was awakened by a sharp pain in his hand. There was his pet rabbit peering at him over the sights of a .22 calibre rifle lying on a chair.

Monroe figured the curious cottontail hit the trigger when it hopped on the chair to investigate the rifle.



Scouts Do Good Deed For Christmas

Fairfield Rover Scouts have been busily engaged in recent weeks repairing and painting toys for children of needy families. Toys will be distributed through Victoria Christmas Bureau. Scouts pictured, from left to right, are Harold Robinson, Ted Howard and Don Mooney. (Times photo.)

Thomas Admits Council Friction Without 'Apologies Or Excuses'

Reeve A. I. Thomas admitted to a packed pre-election meeting on Wednesday night that friction in Esquimalt's council has existed during his term of office.

He called this lack of harmony a "decided block" in council activities.

The question arose when a member of the audience asked Cmdr. A. C. Wurtele, candidate for reeve, whether there was lack of harmony or a split in council.

"There is not full harmony," he said, adding that he had his own ideas about it.

Reeve Thomas said "There is disagreement . . . and there should be. I make no apologies or excuses about it."

"Rumors come to me . . ." He said he had told councillors before that "street gossip" was not a good thing.

The reeve cited several examples where lack of harmony had existed—the major one concerning a luncheon meeting he had attended with two federal government representatives from Ottawa, the result of which benefitted Esquimalt by $6,500 in an increased federal grant.

"Not one councillor had a chance to talk to them," shot back Councillor James Bryant. "Council business should be done in the council chambers."

Replied Thomas: "I don't have to get permission from every councillor to discuss business . . . and I shall fight for further increases." He was referring to an increased grant from the federal government of $25,800 this year as against a previous $19,000.

One member of the audience thought it would take "75 to 100 years" to complete the modernization of the municipality under a "pay-as-you-go" plan of public works spending.

"I would support a substantial money by-law but not under present conditions," said the reeve. "I don't want to plunge this municipality into debt."

Said Cmdr. Wurtele: "Let's get on with the business and get a plan ready—don't throw cold water on council members who suggest the money by-law."

He said the matter of a $350,000 loan for public works improvements was put to council weeks ago and all were unanimously in favor of it.

And he further added that Esquimalt would be protected by the provincial department of muncipal affairs, council itself, and finally the decision of the ratepayers.

Clr. Alex Speirs, seeking re-election, thought such a loan would cost Esquimalt $510,000 in interest and principal over a 15-year period.

Earlier Reeve Thomas had cited economy in public works construction and said council had made a $150,000 saving in the past three years. He added that the municipality's share of school costs were the lowest of the four municipalities, but he said rising school and wage costs were a big problem.

"Esquimalt cannot afford a $350,000 loan . . . I say, pay as we go."

Cmdr. Wurtele favored a money by-law which would give the municipality funds to make "necessary and immediate improvements," and said permanent public works projects would save Esquimalt many thousands of dollars.

The candidate added that the reeve's "pay as you go" plan of public works spending was "in direct opposition to a resolution passed unanimously by council in which an overall plan would be presented to ratepayers in the summer of 1952" on a money by-law vote.

In the years 1948, 1949 and 1950, he said, maintenance costs amounted to $99,000, of which $32,000 was for "patching and ditch cleaning."

Election platforms of other candidates included:

Clr. G. R. Guillemaud—"Lots of streets need immediate attention . . . a money by-law could help the situation."

Clr. Alex Speirs—Reported on work of light committee and said 50 per cent of old series lights in Esquimalt should be replaced by a multiple system, which would cost $5,000 next year.

Clr. W. H. Dallaway—Reported on his work as Esquimalt representative on juvenile detention home and transport board; said he was not in favor of municipality sharing $18,000 cost of family court.

Council candidate Paul A. Fecteau—"New blood needed in council to avoid stagnation."

Council candidate George F. Argyle—"A clear, concise program of development can be blueprinted . . . the municipality's worth will rise when we see where we're going."

Council candidate Mrs. Annie McVie—"I have done community work here for past 22 years . . . will give the best I have if elected."

Council candidate Fred H. Higgins—"Many improvements could and should be done . . . I would try to see these improvements were carried out."

Council candidate Walter Holder—"Let's get some control of municipality's money." Said Esquimalt's $110,000 share of Greater Victoria School Board costs was too high.

Police Commission candidate Michael F. Francis—"This would be a labor of love. I will give you 100 per cent service if elected."

Police commission candidate Robert L. Fletcher—"It is time younger men took an active interest in municipal affairs."

Mother Helpless As Five-Year-Old Drowns In Well

DUNCAN—Doreen Madabelle Hollings, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hollings, Herd Road, was drowned Wednesday when she fell down the family well.

According to reports, the little girl removed the cover from the well, then fell through. Mrs. Hollings could not rescue her daughter and called the fire department and R.C.M.P.

At the scene James Morrissey, fireman, descended the well where he found the body in seven feet of water. Numbed with cold, he handed the child to Fire Captains Warren Savage and Norman L. Hedley, who used an inhalator unsuccessfully until Dr. George Moore pronounced life extinct.

An inquiry will be held by A. E. Green, coroner.

Carpenters' Wage Probe Undertaken

Federal Labor Minister Milton Gregg has informed the Vancouver Island District Council of Carpenters that his department is investigating a carpenter charge that the Department of Defense is not meeting prevailing rates of pay at some of its Island construction jobs.

Carpenters recently complained of pay and hours in effect at Nanaimo and Tofino.

Gregg replied that while general government policy was to employ men on a eight-hour day, 44-hour a week basis, it respected shorter hours of work in localities where such had been established by collective bargaining between unions and employing contractors.

The department's investigation will be carried out by the Vancouver office, the minister said.

Prohibition Beer Baron Sent To Jail

NEW YORK, Dec. 13 (UP).—Waxey Gordon, famous beer baron of the prohibition era, was sentenced to 25 years to life in Sing Sing prison today as a narcotics peddler by a judge who described him as "a malignant cancer in the community."

The possible life sentence was handed down by general sessions Judge Francis L. Valente because Gordon, whose real name is Irving Wexler, is a fourth offender.

"His latest offense should ring down the curtain on his parasitic, lawless life," Valente said.

Gordon pleaded guilty to the narcotics charge after he was caught red handed by city and federal narcotics agents who had rendezvoused with him as heroin purchasers on Aug. 7.

The pudgy, balding ex-bootlegger, who once piped illegal beer through the sewers of New York City, had pleaded with his captors to shoot him in the shadowy street rather than take him prisoner.

But he stood in court without visible emotion as Judge Valente sentenced him.

The 63-year-old gangster's attorney said the sentence would be appealed immediately.

Senators Hit At Commons On Criticisms

OTTAWA, Dec. 13 (CP).—Two Liberal senators let go a verbal blast today at Commons criticism of its work and threw back at a C.C.F. member of the Commons a remark that the Senate should be abolished.

Senator Salter Hayden (L., Ontario) and Senator Thomas Reid (L., British Columbia) both referred to remarks made in the Commons Tuesday by Stanley Knowles (C.C.F., Winnipeg North Centre), though they didn't name Mr. Knowles.

Senator Hayden, chairman of the committee whose lengthy amendments to a government bill were termed "ridiulous" by Mr. Knowles, said the criticism was "utterly stupid."

Senator Reid said from what he's seen in both houses, the Senate's attendance was better and it was probably even more diligent and hard-working than the Commons. Sniping at the Senate had become a common practise by members of the House of Commons, some of whose members "yell 'Abolish the Senate'" every time they can't get their own way.

Kobelt Elected Swiss President

BERN, Switzerland, Dec. 13 (Reuters)—Karl Kobelt was today elected President of Switzerland for 1952. Kobelt, who succeeds Eduard von Steiger, will assume office Jan. 1.

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Royalty — And Riff-Raff

WIRE SERVICE STORIES FROM London to the effect that Princess Elizabeth and Prince Philip have been consorting, in night clubs and theatres, with Mr. Frank Sinatra and Miss Ava Gardner of the twilight entertainment world, have come as a distinct shock to Canadians.

It is reported that the Duke of Edinburgh did a "samba" with Miss Gardner in a night club. Mr. Sinatra is credited with having "helped arrange" the Coliseum vaudeville show which is described as the "bluest" (i.e., dirtiest) ever witnessed by the Royal Family.

This is not surprising. Mr. Sinatra is a repulsive little man. The current issue of a national Canadian magazine tells the story of his life. Among other things, the article says "Frankie was arrested in Bergen County on a sex charge and held in jail overnight." It reveals that he was a gun-toting punk who was built to fame by the notorious mobsters, Willie Moretti and the Fischetti brothers of Chicago—cousins of Al Capone. It establishes Sinatra as an intimate of the ill-famed Lucky Luciano, king of the white slave and dope trades. In Luciano's apartment last year, the Italian police found a solid gold cigarette case inscribed: "To my dear pal Lucky, from his friend, Frank Sinatra."

Mr. Sinatra was recently married (you may pardon this reckless use of the term) to Miss Gardner, after a long international battle to shed himself of his decent Roman Catholic wife and three children. Miss Gardner was previously married to Mr. Mickey Rooney, who recently had a spat with his third wife, and to Mr. Artie Shaw, who is now on the threshold of his sixth—or is it seventh?—marriage.

Fine people for Royalty to be associated with, even in the news wire services!

It may be argued that the Prince and Princess—the charming, clean-cut young people we met here in October—lead such a sheltered life that they don't know the backgrounds of these strolling Hollywood hooligans. If they don't, their advisers and aides should. And if THEY don't, they should be fired.

The whole incident is an outrage and an affront to those millions of loyal subjects who look to the Crown for leadership in the preservation of human decencies.

Why Insurance Comes High

THE COST OF AUTOMOBILE ACCIdents, usually reckoned in human suffering and death, can now be reckoned in the purely financial terms of insurance rates. The cost of insuring an automobile on Vancouver Island will advance by as much as a third at the first of the new year—a substantial new item in the budget of most families. And this increase is due primarily to the fact that a small fraction of automobile drivers are dangerous.

Since all insurance must be based on the collective losses of a group of people, the careful driver must pay the penalty for the damage of the careless. Every time some reckless person at the wheel of a car destroys himself or others, every other car owner must pay part of the bill. It is charged to him in the form of higher insurance rates. Here, as in most aspects of life, the bell tolls for everybody.

All the experience of recent times proves that automobile accidents in the main are caused by a relatively small group. The insurance companies, studying the incidence of accidents, find, for example, that young people are more likely to be careless and thus are a worse risk than their parents. The young man or woman usually is a skilled driver, but this very skill is a danger. It encourages the driver to take chances which an older person, not so sure of his reactions, would not take. Speed is the great cause of accidents, and the young are speedy.

Hence the insurance companies charge higher rates on cars which are driven by the sons and daughters of the family than on those driven by older people. The police are always sceptical of aged drivers, because their faculties may be somewhat impaired, but experience suggests that often such a driver, none too skilful, is much safer than the youth who knows all about cars, who has iron nerves and proceeds to prove it by going too fast.

Driving skill is no sure test of safety. The real test lies inside the head and temperament of the driver. The impatient person, however skilled, is always dangerous because he takes chances, refuses to keep in the traffic line, cuts in front of other cars and passes on hills. No driver's test can possibly reveal the danger inherent in every such personality—a danger so subtle that even a psychiatrist might not detect it.

The accident rate in recent times has become so appalling that some new approach to its cure seems to be required. It is to be doubted that regular tests of drivers will do much good. They may discover the odd person who should not be driving because his eyesight is subnormal or he suffers some other physical disability, but they will not discover the real traffic menace, who will drive perfectly under test and then burn up the highways as soon as the police are out of sight.

Since these habits are confined to a relatively small group, it should not be beyond discovery. If every person shown by a court case to have caused an accident were automatically subjected to a test before he could drive again, and if his license were suspended unless he could prove his reliability, physically and temperamentally, then we might begin to reach the root of the problem by isolating the real menace.

The local courts have begun to use the suspension of drivers' licenses more vigorously in the case of drunken drivers, but they do not seem to have gone far enough. Hardly a day passes without a news story recording the conviction of a drunken person or, in the police court phrase, one whose ability to drive is "impaired by alcohol."

What this really means is that someone is wielding a lethal weapon against the public far more dangerous than a loaded gun. The man who drives a car when he is even a little tipsy is not guilty of some convivial foible. He is a potential killer, nothing less.

A fine of $200 or so is not likely to make him change his habits. The suspension of his driver's license is a much more effective weapon, and we doubt that the courts have used it adequately. If every driver knew that he might be prevented from driving for a term of years if he were proved to be reckless, under the influence of alcohol, or merely from impatience, we should have fewer drunks and other potential killers at the wheel. Incidentally we might also have lower insurance rates. And if, as Judge Hanna suggests, existing laws covering license suspensions contain loopholes, they will doubtless be quickly corrected by provincial or federal governments.

Slansky On The Skids

THE SPECTACLE OF "THE BITER bitten" has become a familiar one in Soviet and satellite politics. Those who rule the roost one day may be languishing in a dungeon the next, and to the outsider these swift falls from grace must appear as resulting from the merest whims of fate.

For some of them, indeed, it is difficult to find any concrete reason although to the inner elite of the Politburo the recurring phenomena must be clear. Such a case is that of Rudolf Slansky, who won fame in Czechoslovakia as a Moscow-trained purger, founder of the Cominform, secretary-general of the Czech Communist Party and vice-premier of his country. A few days ago, apparently on the crest of the political wave and headed for higher honors, he was suddenly clapped into jail, charged with "anti-state activities."

Western observers have been speculating on the incident ever since. It is suggested that this may be a lingering accompaniment of the purge of last March, in which Foreign Minister Vladimir Clementis and other high dignitaries were chopped down on treason charges. Again, it is speculated that the William N. Oatis case (the Associated Press newsman in Prague who recently was sentenced to 10 years imprisonment on espionage charges) in which Slansky was active, has backfired. United States retaliation in the form of trade restrictions, it is said, has brought serious problems to the country's economy.

Another suggestion is that the growing economic and political pressures within Czechoslovakia demanded a scape-goat, with earlier friction between President Gottwald and Slansky making the latter a likely choice. Of interest, too, is the proposition that the arrest of Slansky, who was noted for his furtherance of international communism and his favor with the Kremlin, demonstrates a schism between Moscow and the satellite regime.

We cannot choose among these possibilities. The West can only wait until another upheaval behind the curtain bulges its folds sufficiently to allow a further glimpse of what goes on in the smoke-filled rooms of Prague.

This only is clear: the autocrats of ancient Egypt, Persia or Rome wielded no more absolute and arbitrary power than their modern counterparts in the Communist hierarchy. Uneasy lies the hand that holds a hammer and sickle. It may be lopped off at the wrist at any moment, without warning and without appeal.

Emergency Vote To Santa

IN COPENHAGEN THE DANISH PARliament [illegible] Santa Claus was going broke. He hadn't enough money to answer the volume of Christmas mail addressed to him in Greenland, near the North Pole. Without funds he couldn't pay postage on replies which include a picture from Greenland and a pamphlet of children's stories by Hans Christian Andersen.

To meet the emergency the Danish Parliament passed a special vote of $8,400. That will care for Santa's Greenland mail, which is cleared through Copenhagen.

Though it isn't a great sum, some ma[illegible] could have been applied to greates advantage. Whatever such people think, or say, there will be millions who bless the Danish Parliamentarians for their action.

They have preserved children's faith in a simple and gracious belief. They have proclaimed to the world that it is worth encouraging the hopes of those people who still look for bluebirds, who still try to find a rainbow in lowering clouds, who still have trust in an infinite happiness which cannot be measured in dollars.

Your Share In $501,000,000

WHEN the radical approached the American millionaire and demanded that he share his million dollars equally with all people in the country, the millionaire looked quizzically at him. Then he did a little mental arithmetic, dividing his million by the 100-odd million citizens living in the United States, put his hand in his pocket and offered the radical one cent.

"That," he said, "is your share. Are you satisfied?"

It's an old story, but it lends point to the latest analysis of Canadian personal wealth.

This country hasn't enough exceedingly rich men to finance Canada's government no matter how severe a "soak the rich" policy were adopted. If the annual income of the thousand wealthiest men in the nation was seized by the government, the total would amount to something less than the equivalent of six dollars a head from every Canadian.

The anatomy of income and income taxation is presented in the recently published green book of the Department of National Revenue. The figures in the 1951 edition cover the year 1949, the last for which statistics have been compiled.

There have been material changes in income and taxation in the last two years, but the outline given for 1949 presents the general picture of Canadian taxable wealth.

INCOME AND TAXES

In that year 2,231,970 citizens of a total population of less than 14 million paid income tax. Of that number, 38,790 received more than $10,000 a year. Combined, their incomes amounted to slightly more than 10 per cent of all income received by Canadians and from it they paid more than one-third of the taxes.

The tables show that 7,810 Canadians made between $15,000 and $20,000 a year, while in the next group, with incomes between $20,000 and $25,000, there were only 3,880 people. Those receiving $25,000 to $50,000 numbered 4,240. And a mere 1,090 received income above $50,000, sharing $81.1 million among them.

Half the nation's taxable personal income went to the 71.4 per cent of 2,231,970 taxpayers who made $5,000 a year and less. And from that majority group came 26.88 per cent of the year's personal income tax. Other citizens who earned between $5,000 and $10,000 paid the other 37.66 per cent of the taxes.

The simple facts of the statisticians' tables show that most of the money taken from personal income to help run the country's business must come, not from the top bracket, but from the vast body of Canadians who make less than $10,000 a year. In 1949 there were 1,947,340 employed mainly in business enterprises and earning an average of $2,589. They paid nearly 62 per cent of the total personal income tax.

ENGINEERS, ARCHITECTS TOP MEN

According to the tables which classify occupations on the basis of earning powers, the engineers and architects moved up above doctors as the big money men. They averaged $10,428 a year, just short of $900 more than the average $9,533 income listed for lawyers, who in turn led doctors and surgeons by more than $500.

Fourth in the list were dentists, whose average yearly returns were set at $5,748 in the table.

Farmers, at $3,801, outranked fishermen, who were credited with $3,764, and near the bottom of the list came nurses, with a $1,604 average. Employees of educational institutions, presumably teachers among them, received an average of $2,535.

VICTORIA SIXTEENTH

By cities—and the calculation took in only those having more than 5,000 taxpayers—Lethbridge held the highest average in 1949, the mean income per taxpayer being $3,477. Victoria, which usually considers itself in the wealthier bracket, stood sixteenth, with an average of $2,909, a figure which placed it three above Vancouver, where the average was $2,893. Montreal, highest in population, stood fifth, with $3,078, but reported fewer taxpayers than Toronto, which ranked twelfth with $2,949.

By industries, mining, with a smaller number of companies participating, yielded a higher average profit—$293,860—than manufacturing, the largest classification in the group and consequently the heaviest payer in that division. Agriculture, fishing and forestry, lumped together, showed just over one-half of one percent of the grand total of profits from 1949 operations and yielded slightly less than one-half of one per cent of the grand total income tax paid by active taxable companies.—A.H.S.

Impertinence And Tyranny

Vancouver Province

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNment has suggested to the government at Victoria that a little reciprocity would be appreciated. The United States, it is pointed out, is buying about $2,500,000 worth of British Columbia whisky this year, but British Columbia is buying no United States liquor. Particularly, it is buying no California wines.

The protest, so far, is verbal and informal, but it is intimated that if the condition continues there will be a formal protest to Ottawa that the Geneva and Torquay agreements are being ignored.

The American protest will interest a lot of British Columbians who have wondered for a long time why, if they want a bottle of wine, they are compelled to buy Canadian brands or go far overseas for costly vintages, when desirable California wines are available almost at their door.

It is not at all a question of being loyal or disloyal to a Canadian product, but of being allowed to buy the type of product one wants.

Strange as it may seem, the California wines are not excluded by any tariff regulation duly adopted by the representatives of the Canadian people in Parliament, but by a private arrangement made by the liquor controllers of the various provinces. These nine men—Prince Edward Island is a prohibition province—meeting together, decide what liquors they will import; in other words, what liquors will be made available to the Canadian people. It is a piece of impertinence, of course—impertinence and petty tyranny. It amounts to legislation by a little coterie of civil servants who have no authority to legislate.

Joe Scrooge

As Our Readers See It

A BRUTAL ACT

It ought not to be difficult, through a process of elimination, to discover the name of the inhuman brute who threw a poor helpless dumb animal from a speeding car. There are not many female Chesapeakes in Victoria and, no doubt, the dog license department could help in this matter.

Incidentally, the Chesapeake is the finest water dog in the world, and I am told by a friend of mine, who owns a hotel on the west coast of this Island, that this breed is the only one that can stand up to the glacial waters of the northern Pacific Ocean.

J. H. GRAY.

Prospect Lake.

APPRECIATED

May we ask if you will be kind enough to permit us the use of your "As Our Readers See It" column to express the grateful thanks of the Red Cross Lodge Executive Committee to the anonymous donor, an old-age pensioner, who regularly sends in a cash donation, always accompanied by an inspirational letter for the veterans who make use of the lodge.

We would like to say to this kind lady that the message is always posted on the bulletin board at the lodge and the money is used for the purpose indicated in each letter. The Lodge Committee is grateful both for the gift of cash and the loving thought which prompts it.

(Mrs.) JOAN F. STRAITH,
Chairman, Red Cross Lodge.

'ERUDITE BUT DEADENING'

May I just once more draw to the attention of your readers the danger in the erudite but deadening, stultifying, soporific influence of radio (soap ads), of the modern and horrible comics (so called), of the increasing advent of religious teaching in our elementary schools, of such piffle as "Under Our Roof" and Peep's Diary in the Times, and now the threat of television which is about to put the tassel on the cap of the climax.

If in newspapers such as yours space so wasted could be put to use in stimulating instead of in deadening thought, if access was given more freely to discussions of what constitutes the higher objectives of life: moral, educational, economical and physical, and social, then it would seem hopeful and promising for an increasingly higher standard of civilization.

L. J. PEPPER.

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SOUTH vs. NORTH

One night this season in Memorial Arena I watched the Cougars and Tacoma Rockets warming up for a game and, as nearly as I could make out, there were on each team 11 Southpaws and four Northpaws. Then I got to thinking of the old rule about right-wingers being right-handed and left-wingers vice versa and got to wondering whether there are enough righ-handers to fill the right-wing position.

How come there are so many more lefties now? Was it always the case or is it something that has come with radar and psychoanalysis? Has it anything to do with Coley Hall, Murph Chamberlain and Hypnotist Munroe?

When nearly all good golfers are right-handed why the swing to the left in hockey? Better page Bill Walker and Swami Davy, at once.

WALDRON GREENE.

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SEPARATE SCHOOLS

While I feel deeply that it is definitely un-Christ-like to indulge in backbiting as some correspondents do in regard to the separate school question, I nevertheless was provoked by a recent letter from an "Evangelical Christian?"

He is against the government turning back certain taxes to the separate schools. Why? The Australian government lends support to schools run by the Evangelical sect to which he belongs, or maybe he wasn't aware of it. Apropos he ought to study paragraph three, Psalm 15.

M. P.

CIVIC CANDIDATES

In the Times of Dec. 11, one G. H. Wheaton, a member of the Non-Partisan League, undertook to whitewash this League's stand for non-support of Mr. Brent Murdoch in the civic elections. The same letter-writer further attempted to make hodge-podge of the Mayoralty candidates' platforms who are not being supported by this League.

I feel therefore impelled not only to correct such misleading criticism but also to point out some of the puerile tactics as well as the mealy-mouthed platitudes of the Non-Partisan League of which I am a member.

Actually we are not non-partisan nor are we a league. We are merely a small group composed mainly of agents about town but occasionally we manage to get into our fold some civic-minded persons as well. There may not be much public need for us but our need for good public opinion of us is rather urgent.

Our decisions, our hand-picking of candidates for Mayor and Aldermen are being done in our back rooms and elsewhere by a select few of our group. Then late in the fall we hold our once-a-year meeting. The names of the candidates are trotted out by these esoteric few and announced to the hoi-poloi in the hall.

We, the members, being true blue Non-Partisans, simply raise our democratic right hands and vote Non-Partisan. Simple, isn't it?

We have no written civic creed—that is, what we stand for, what we are trying to accomplish. We espouse no causes. Oh dear no! The citizens of Victoria then may happen to read our platform—as they are now reading the written platforms of Mr. Harrison, Mr. Murdoch and the other independent candidates—and that would nail us down to something concrete and definite. That won't do for us as Non-Partisan League nor for our candidates.

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Bridge : : : : : : : : : : : BY H. T. WEBSTER

The Shepherd

RELIANCE

"My times are in thy hand." Ps. 31:15.

I wonder which of my troubles is worst . . . That note that's due on the 31st? . . . Or the little pain that comes and goes . . . When I overdo? My worrying woes . . . About my kiddies and polio? . . . The war scares on the radio? . . . I hardly know just what to do . . . My hair is graying, I've ulcers too . . . Why won't I stop and understand . . . Like David, "My times are in Thy hand?"

JULIEN C. HYER

London Was Never Like This

By Bernard Drew of The Sunday Express In World's Press News

THE PRESS called the Royal tour of Canada a "Rat Race." And so it was.

In five short weeks we traveled 10,000 miles by air, rail, sea and road across the vast Dominion and saw the beating heart of Canada.

We made seventy stops, ranging from the mighty cities of Montreal and Toronto to wayside whistlestops in the wilds, spending at them anywhere from three days to ten minutes.

As makeweight a 45-hour visit to Washington was thrown in.

For even the most hard-boiled journalist on the trip, the tour was a wonderful experience.

And coverage on the grand scale was only made possible by arrangements which by our standards over here must read like a chapter from "The Arabian Nights."

The press arrangements generally were superb. No one spared help.

It was only after we had got back from Canada and went to Euston to try and write the "Home again" story that those of us who had been on the tour really appreciated just how good the facilities in Canada were!

Everywhere we stopped press rooms were set up in the best hotels and waiting for us as we poured off the train.

Staff of the two rival cable companies, Canadian National Telegraphs and Canadian Pacific Telegraphs, stood ready to snatch the copy from our typewriters. Temporary post offices were erected in press rooms.

Where we stayed for more than a few hours briefings were held in the mornings and passes distributed.

Coaches met us at stations. Local pressmen were our guides.

VICTORIA HOSPITALITY

In some places, notably in Victoria, B.C., local businessmen took members of the party to see the sights and fishing. This was during one of the two short holidays which Princess Elizabeth and the Duke enjoyed.

Bookings for the hotels we stayed in were made by press officers. Throughout the trip luggage was handled by officers of the Canadian Army—and so far as I know not one piece was lost.

In fact, so far as the routine arrangements were concerned, the whole tour was organized on a service basis.

But those of us back from Canada came to earth with a bang at Euston on Saturday. Instead of good positions—these were occupied by officials' wives and families—we found ourselves placed out of earshot.

As the Royal party moved away from us, talking animatedly within the hearing of officials' wives, we turned to leave, disgusted.

But our way was barred. The gate was locked. In the rain we argued with an official in charge of the press.

To a photographer, he said: "You will only try to take another picture somewhere else, if I let you out."

O, Canada!

The Newspaper Boy

The Printed Word

CIRCULATION MANAGERS of newspapers say it is getting harder and harder to find carrier boys and keep them on the job.

This is a most disturbing bit of news. What will the banks and the big corporations do for presidents and board chairmen in the year 2,000 if the crop of newspaper carrier boys withers away now? Where will the country turn for elder statesmen? How can there be big shots if they cannot refer to the time when they ran a paper route?

The answer could be that if young people and older people in Canada refuse to do the common tasks on their climb to greater things, there won't be so many greater things, for them or the country.

Ups And Downs

By BRIAN TOBIN

"IT'S a machine age," said the Elevator Man, "and we're machine people. I guess the fella who first started rolling a round stone slab and so discovered the wheel, never gave a thought to what might come of it. He never figured on such history-making developments as the spinning wheel, the steam engine, the mechanical calculator and the slot machine. He probably never stopped to think that he was really starting General Patton on his armored rampage through Normandy, that a whole city named Detroit would rise as a monument to his memory, or that kids with bicycles would make possible the house-to-house delivery of daily newspapers and thus strengthen one of democracy's greatest weapons. That fella was just plumb thoughtless of consequences. But his horizon was pretty limited, after all. Even if he could have imagined a dinosaur on wheels, and so foreseen the locomotive, he'd never have envisioned roulette or a Swiss movement. So we can't really blame him. It's what we did with it, not what he gave us, that counts. Going up!

Tobin

"The machine," said the Elevator Man, "like any trusted friend, can do us a lot of harm if it has a mind to. And I see a very ominous note creeping into the hum of machinery, as reported from Calgary yesterday. It seems that when they were totaling up the election returns there the other night, the big adding machine suddenly got tired and started to subtract instead of add. Nobody noticed it for a while, and some startling results were reported before it was realized that the candidates were being robbed. Now what happens if all our machines start acting like that? Where will we be if all our trusted wheels start spinning backwards when they get a whim to do so? Where will we end up if that Big Wheel, the earth, starts spinning backwards sometime, as it might well do in disgust as a result of our attempts to turn it upside down? Lower main!

"We can hardly," said the Elevator Man, "blame the machine for doing what we so often do ourselves—make mistakes. Our heads are spinning and we're off our bearings. It's time we got back on the track and contributed more to the common weal."

South Africa Orders U.N. Envoy Home

PARIS, Dec. 13 (CP)—South Africa today ordered its head United Nations delegate home for consultations over the question of trusteeship for Southwest Africa.

And while Interior Minister T. E. Donges, who plans to leave for Capetown within a few days, is away, his delegation will not attend General Assembly sessions. However, South Africa will continue to be represented on all U.N. committees except the trusteeship committee.

South Africa has boycotted the trusteeship committee for three weeks, claiming the question of Southwest Africa's future is not under U.N. jurisdiction.

A South African delegation spokesman emphasized the move does not mean the Union is walking out of the U.N.

MAY BE DRASTIC

In Capetown today Prime Minister Daniel F. Malan said he had recalled Donges for "more careful and, if needs be, more drastic action."

Malan said he was withdrawing representation from the U.N. assembly meetings pending a possible hearing and satisfactory consideration of South Africa's side of the dispute over the future of the territory.

Members of the 60-member trusteeship committee have been urging that Southwest Africa be placed under a U.N. trusteeship. South Africa has contended the U.N. has no jurisdiction in the case since it is an internal matter. The South Africans walked out of the committee when the body decided to invite several Southwest African tribal chiefs to Paris to present their views on the subject.

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

VICTORIA'S SUNSHINE RECORD TO DATE, 1951—2,500.1 HOURS

SYNOPSIS: Skies were sunny over most of B.C. today, although patches of clouds persisted along the north coast and in the interior.

Cold air accompanied with a few snow flurries will move into the Prince George and northeastern Cariboo region, otherwise little change is expected in interior weather for a day or so.

Increasing clouds and southerly winds are expected on the north coast as a weak disturbance moves into the Gulf of Alaska.

Skies will remain clear over most of the south coast tonight. Frosts are foreseen for many south coast localities tonight with a few fog patches in low-lying areas.

REGIONAL FORECASTS VALID UNTIL MIDNIGHT FRIDAY

VICTORIA: Sunny Friday. A little colder tonight. Winds light northerly. Low tonight and high Friday, 32 and 44.

WEST COAST: Few clouds. Little change in temperature. Winds south 20 over the Queen Charlotte Islands tonight and Friday. Otherwise light northerly. Low tonight and high Friday at Port Hardy, 32 and 42; at Sandspit, 37 and 45; at Prince Rupert, 34 and 44.

GEORGIA STRAIT: Sunny Friday with a few cloudy periods. Colder tonight. Winds light Friday. Low tonight and high Friday at Nanaimo, 28 and 43.

VANCOUVER: Sunny Friday. Fog patches in low areas tonight. Colder tonight. Low tonight and high Friday at Vancouver airport and Abbotsford, 28 and 41.

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Halifax	24	36	.06
Montreal	9	31	—
Ottawa	3b	31	—
Toronto	11	27	—
Winnipeg	12b	1	—
Brandon	19b	1b	—
The Pas	19b	7b	—
Regina	10b	14	.07
Saskatoon	7b	3	.01
Lethbridge	14	38	.09
Calgary	14	33	.13
Edmonton	5	35	.26
Kamloops	27	37	—
Penticton	24	31	—
Vancouver	32	42	.01
VICTORIA	35	49	—
Kimberley	17	33	—
Prince George	11	34	—
Fort St. John	7b	32	.16
Whitehorse	10	27	—
Seattle	30	47	—
Portland	35	41	.01
San Francisco	40	52	—
New York	18	48	.04
New Westminster	32	43	—

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Dec. 13	Sunrise 7.57	—	Sunset	4.17
Dec. 14	Sunrise 7.58	—	Sunset	4.17
Dec. 15	Sunrise 7.59	—	Sunset	4.18
Dec 16	Sunrise 8.00	—	Sunset	4.18
Dec. 17	Sunrise 8.01	—	Sunset	4.18
Dec. 18	Sunrise 8.01	—	Sunset	4.18
Dec. 19	Sunrise 8.02	—	Sunset	4.19
Dec. 20	Sunrise 8.02	—	Sunset	4.19

TIDES AT VICTORIA

Dec.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
14	7.41	9.9	9.01	8.8	12.06	10.3	21.55	1.6
15	8.18	9.8	9.45	9.7	12.27	10.1	22.25	1.9
16	8.42	9.7	10.36	9.6	12.44	9.8	23.04	2.2
17	9.02	9.6	11.42	9.4	12.51	9.5	23.38	2.5
18	9.20	9.5						
19	0.11	3.4	9.31	9.4				
20	0.42	4.1	9.37	9.3				
21	1.08	4.9	9.38	9.3	17.58	6.3	19.29	6.4
22	1.19	5.8	9.37	9.5	17.41	5.4		
23			9.51	9.8	17.58	4.4		
24			10.09	10.2	18.30	3.2		

TIDES AT POINT ATKINSON

Dec.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
14	7.33	15.4	12.39	12.4	15.57	13.1	23.59	2.0
15	8.09	15.5	13.25	12.1	16.37	12.7		
16	0.32	2.3	8.39	15.4	14.13	11.7	17.19	12.2
17	1.07	2.7	9.09	15.3	15.04	11.2	18.07	11.7
18	1.41	3.4	9.39	15.1	15.57	10.6	19.04	11.1
19	2.17	4.3	10.10	14.8	16.50	9.8	20.34	10.6
20	2.56	5.5	10.39	14.6	17.43	8.8	22.02	10.1
21	3.37	6.8	11.10	14.4	18.33	7.7	23.49	10.2
22	4.29	8.8	11.40	14.4	19.10	6.4		
23	1.38	10.9	5.37	9.7	12.11	14.4	19.50	5.0
24	2.54	12.0	7.05	10.9	12.44	14.7	20.31	3.6

SAANICH INLET

To determine tides in Saanich Inlet area: For higher high water, deduct 14 minutes; for lower low water, deduct 35 minutes; for half-tides (those other than highest and lowest), deduct 32 minutes.

COWICHAN BAY

To determine tides in Cowichan Bay area: For higher high water, deduct 16 minutes; for lower low water, deduct 35 minutes; for half-tides, deduct 33 minutes.

NOTED BELLS RESTORED

BESFORD, England (CP).—The historic bells of St. Martin's Church have been restored after 40 years' silence. One of the bells at the Worcestershire County church is dated 1261.

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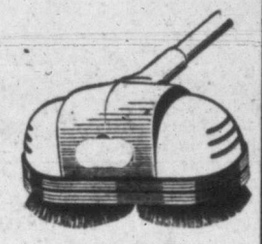

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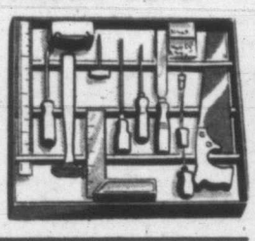

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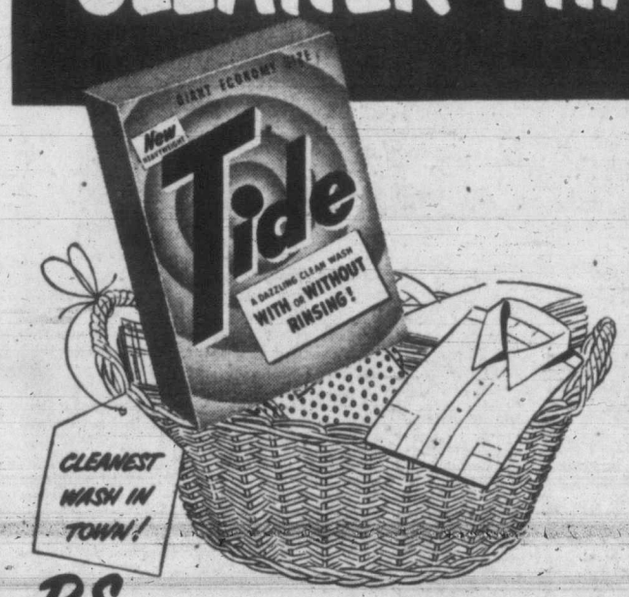

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Saanich Rivals Hotter As Election Day Nears

Some spoke briefly, and some at length, but all Saanich municipal candidates had all the time they wanted at a lively election meeting Wednesday night in Mount View High School.

Councillor L. H. Passmore introduced the higher council indemnity subject that has been opened in the present campaign.

"I was against the council voting itself higher pay a year ago, just after the election,' he' said. "But I'll vote for an increase next year. If you don't want that, don't vote for me."

He said that in his 13 years on the council he was most proud of his part in abolishing the ward system, and stated that he believed in referendums.

"I think I have instigated 75 per cent of them in Saanich," he said.

SEEKS TWO POSTS

Running for the two positions of councillor and police commissioner, G. Stanley Eden said that on the council he wanted to see the most results for the tax dollar, and on the commission to continue his 13-year record of careful estimates.

"We have never had the council return our estimates," he said," and we have the snappiest little police force in B.C.

"I have never been paid for my work," he added, "and I don't want to be. It does a man good to serve his municipality."

Council candidate Henry G. Robinson, Royal Oak dairy farmer, agreed with Eden.

PAY ON RE-ELECTION

"The money doesn't mean much," he said. "I would suggest letting a man prove his worth first, and be paid if re-elected."

He opposed levies for sidewalks and playgrounds, and high taxes.

"The only experience I've had in public service is paying taxes," he said, "and I've had plenty of that."

David S. L. Peirce said if elected to council he would stress efficiency of operation, adding that lack of efficiency was the most common criticism of Saanich.

"The council should see that its orders are carried out," he said. "That is not always done."

Walter Calwell, up for election to the police commission, stood on his record of 36 years on the Victoria city force, retiring as inspector.

THRUST AT EDEN

"Police work has been my life's career and I'm still interested," he said. "I also do not believe a man should divide his time between posts on the council and police commission and his business."

He was immediately challenged by Eden, who said he was free to leave his business at any time for public duties.

"I still say one job is enough," Calwell maintained.

Roy Wootten, council candidate, made a very brief appearance due to sickness of the last two days. Asked his opinion of the municipal engineer's qualifications, he said "I'm not qualified to judge them."

"I also don't believe the engineer should be held responsible for work done at the council's direction," he said.

Chad Smith made the briefest speech for election to council.

"Although I was defeated last year, I am asking for your support again," he said. "I have the time to serve you if you want me, and am completely independent."

SCORNS CHARGES

Councillor H. K. Bate, seeking re-election, scorned charges of inefficiency, claiming that for the past year public works projects have been carried on by the municipality for less money than private tender would require.

"We won't trust private contractors to lay our new water mains," he said. "We do them, and make sure they are tight."

Although elected by acclamation, Reeve Joseph W. Casey briefly reviewed progress of the past year.

"The Colquitz Creek drainage work has already proved itself," he said. "We have built several highways at less cost than private tenders, went through the driest summer on record without imposing water restrictions, and now find our assessment roll almost as large as it was before Ward Six seceded."

Councillor Grace Shaw, chairman of the municipal parks committee, described the purpose of the forthcoming playground referendum, and the playground developments planned.

ACCUSERS SAID RUM WAS HIS SO PRISONER TOOK A DRINK

ELK CITY, Okla., Dec. 13 (AP).—Clyde Brewer, on trial for possessing liquor in this dry state, was held in contempt of court Wednesday after he admitted swiping a half-pint of "Exhibit A" and drinking it during a court recess.

"Everyone in the court said it was mine," the 35-year-old defendant said. "It had my name on it. So I drank it."

Judge R. L. Minton ordered him to jail for 10 days.

Self-Lighting Smoke Latest

FRIBOURG, Switzerland, Dec. 13 (AP)—A Swiss chemical manufacturer says he has invented a self-lighting cigarette. Ernest Heimo, 35, says it works like this: one end is saturated with a secret chemical which sets the tobaco afire when the tip is rubbed gently against the side of the package. It makes no flame, and there's no need to puff on the cigarette while lighting it.

CANADA CAN LEAD

Top Underwater Experts?

OTTAWA, Dec. 13 (CP).—Canada's new chief of the naval staff, Vice-Admiral E. R. Mainguy, said Wednesday there is no reason "why we should not become the anti-submarine experts of the United Nations—if we are not led away by seemingly more glamorous things."

The Royal Canadian Navy, he told the Canadian Club in a prepared speech, is "an anti-submarine, anti-mine navy." Its duty is to see that merchant ships can come and go along Canada's coasts and across the ocean.

HASTINGS, England (CP).—Authorities who planned to build boulevards in this ancient Sussex town were stymied. Workmen starting to tear up the pavement were confronted by a forest of gas and water pipes, telephone and power cables.

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GREYHOUND

THEORY EXPLODES AS EXPERTS SAY SPINACH JUST SPINACH

LONDON, Dec. 13 (Reuters).—Whenever you dish up junior's spinach feeling proud of the good you're doing him and whenever he eats it to be like Popeye, your both living in a fool's paradise. The stuff is useless for strength.

Dr. Charles Hill, a junior minister in the Food Ministry, told the Royal Society of Arts yesterday: "There is no scientific reason why spinach should give anyone, even Popeye, strength."

The doctor said spinach contains not only iron but oxalic acid which, it is thought, probably combines with the iron and prevents it being absorbed by the body.

Special Seaway Agency Is Set Up By Government

OTTAWA, Dec. 13 (CP).—The long-debated, long-awaited St. Lawrence seaway is another step closer to reality.

The Commons Wednesday approved a government bill setting up a crown agency to construct the $246,000,000 deep waterway, with or without the co-operation of the United States.

With the seaway bill, the chamber adopted a companion measure ratifying an agreement between the governments of Canada and Ontario to permit Ontario to develop power in the international section of the St. Lawrence.

Before turning to the seaways legislation, the house polished off the lingering throne speech debate after opposition members threw a series of non-confidence motions at the government and forced five formal divisions as the debate came to a close.

A batch of smaller bills was given first reading as the chamber drove towards a pre-Christmas prorogation, which may come this week-end or early next week. It approved a government motion to sit this Saturday.

The chamber later studied a government bill providing annual grants of $6,250,000 to the CBC for five years and heard Donald Fleming (P.C., Toronto Eglinton) criticize the corporation's television policy.

He urged that TV licenses be granted to private interests which have expressed willingness to risk their money in a television station. It was regrettable that Canadians were being denied television.

M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, said he is sure the people would rather wait for government-operated TV than undergo the "punishment" of commercial TV suffered by American viewers.

Under the seaway legislation the waterway will pay for itself in 50 years through a system of tolls to be charged ships using its network of canals from Montreal up through to the Great Lakes system.

Transport Minister Chevrier, piloting the legislation, told questioners the same tolls will be applied to Canadian and foreign shipping.

He said the proclamation bringing the legislation into force probably will be delayed until the Ontario legislature ratifies the power agreement. In developing the power, Ontario will co-operate with an appropriate United States agency, presumably New York state.

Rodney Adamson (P.C., York West), who stressed Ontario's need for more power, asked if Canada intended to go ahead with the projects even if she got no co-operation from the United States.

Mr. Chevrier said the United States government will have to authorize some American agency to develop the St. Lawrence power jointly with Ontario. The Canadian government undertook to do all it could to press for the power development.

While it might be undesirable to proceed with one project without the other, the legislation gave the government authority to go ahead alone with the seaway.

In several days of often heavy-going debate, members from both the Maritimes and elsewhere, and from Liberal and opposition ranks urged the government to give simultaneous attention to other development projects across Canada.

PLAY'S TITLE LIVED UP TO

FORT BELVOIR, Va., Dec. 13 (AP).—Rehearsals of a new play by Fort Belvoir's Little Theatre group were interrupted twice by births in the families of principals.

Jim Crockette, romantic lead, and Bob Adler, director, both became fathers of boys. The play: "Born Yesterday."

CHURCH LOOTED

DUESSELDORF, Germany (Reuters).—Thieves stole a silver baptismal dish, inscribed "suffer little children to come unto Me," from a suburban church here. The thieves also took 124 organ pipes from the church.

LONDON (CP).—A court witness here paid more than £4 to journey from Glasgow to testify in a case involving £3, 15s. But he was sent home because the claim had been paid.

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Mystery Surrounds Death Of Three Men

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Dec. 13 (AP)—Three Purto Rican men were found dead in a rooming house here Wednesday and Coroner Edward Krentzman said he had ordered an autopsy.

The men were identified as Victor Viera, 23; Angel Avilas, 21; and Micel Sopo, 20.

Police at first believed the men had been asphyxiated by gas but the coroner said all gas outlets in the room were turned off when entrance was forced.

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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

- The over-riding concern of the Canadian people is preparedness for peace.
- Our present task is to mesh a preparedness program with a civilian economy in such a manner that our resources are efficiently and effectively utilized, and waste is minimized.
- Canadian agriculture is producing at a very high level with a smaller working force.
- A continuing review of inventory position will be a necessary policy for every business in the months ahead.
- Indirect methods of controlling inflation—such as monetary and credit restrictions, together with some restrictions on capital expansion and taxation measures—though lacking in glamour—are sounder in an economy neither at peace nor at war, than price and wage controls, rationing and subsidies.
- Monetary and fiscal measures **can** be made stringent enough to halt inflation abruptly but only at the cost of serious disturbance and for this reason care—not dramatic action—should be the watchword.
- Stability, not rigidity, in our economic affairs is a primary objective and its achievement is as much a personal as a governmental responsibility.

Stanley M. Wedd, President, addressing the Annual Meeting of The Canadian Bank of Commerce in Toronto, said in part:

Events of the past year are gradually bringing about a change in the pattern of the Canadian economy, and our present over-riding concern, if it could be expressed in a few words, is *preparedness for peace.*

Our present task is to mesh a preparedness program with a civilian economy in such a manner that our resources are efficiently and effectively utilized, that waste whether in business or government, is minimized, and that in our free-market society we develop our productive potentialities.

General Economic Conditions

Indicating the over-all health of the economy, the Gross National Product—the value in current dollars of goods and services produced—shows a sizable gain over preceding years. The estimate for 1951 is $21,000 millions, compared with $17,800 millions in 1950 and $11,800 millions in 1945. While the rising cost of imports of essential materials, as well as our domestic inflationary pressures, is reflected in the estimate, there is, nevertheless, an underlying hard core of industrial progress which is heartening since the need for military preparedness again faces our economy.

Since the end of open warfare in 1945 the continued investment of government and business has been over 20 per cent of the National Income each year. This year investment by all agencies is now estimated at some $4,500 millions, indicating a trend of continued expansion and a relatively high rate of capital formation.

It is evident that expenditures of all governing bodies have been rising at an unprecedented rate and, while the present tax revenues are exceeding anticipated returns to the point where surpluses are being recorded, nevertheless, and particularly with mounting defence requirements ahead of us, it is a time for the exercise of every economy possible.

Agriculture

Canadian agriculture is producing at a very high level with a considerably smaller working force and not much more acreage under cultivation than in pre-war times. This is a fact full of meaning in view of the manpower that has been released for industrial and defence production. The continued strength in agriculture is due in a large measure to the family-size farm and the great percentage of family ownership. Whether its products go into the export trade or into domestic consumption, agriculture will undoubtedly continue to be basic to our economy.

Manufacturing

On the whole, the volume of industrial production has been exceeding the aggregate level established during 1950. However, an uneven industrial record during the past year bears out the shift in emphasis brought about by world political conditions and by the decisions of Government in respect to defence expenditures. Shortages of raw materials or components, credit restrictions imposed by the Government, and the postponable nature of some demands have all influenced consumption and production in some branches of manufacturing. There are at present a number of such factors and it is therefore difficult to suggest a common underlying cause of the variations which are now appearing. One thing is obvious, however, and that is that a continuing review of inventory position will be necessary business policy for the months ahead.

Resource Development

There has been much solid accomplishment in resource development during the past year. While it reaches into practically every field, it is perhaps best exemplified in the preparations for working the iron ore deposits in the Ungava district and further development at the Steep Rock Mines and the Michipicoten area in Ontario; in the oil and natural gas industry in Alberta and Saskatchewan; and in the aluminum project now under way in British Columbia with its associated water power development.

Inflation and Fiscal Policy

Since the beginning of the Korean conflict prices have steadily spiralled upwards. For this condition it is hard to pin-point a specific cause; rather a number of factors are involved, for example over-buying of goods by business and by individuals; the unprecedented capital expansion; and plans for heavy government spending for defence and other purposes. As against this we have failed to offset rising costs by increased productivity, we have exported heavily by necessity and we have been forced to divert raw materials to the defence effort. These are basic ingredients of a rising price spiral.

It would appear that the indirect methods of monetary and credit restrictions, together with some restrictions on capital expansion, and taxation measures, though lacking in glamour, are sounder than price controls, wage controls, rationing, punitive taxation, subsidies to encourage production and compulsory saving. All these measures—necessarily used in combination during the past war—are a less appealing alternative and could lead to economic regimentation. Monetary and fiscal measures *can* be made stringent enough to halt inflation abruptly but only at the cost of serious disturbance and for this reason care—not dramatic action—should be the watchword in order to preserve existing balances.

The Outlook

As we stand at the threshold of the new year the challenges to our adaptability grow apace. We are preparing, and our preparations must be both for peace and for defence. This, of necessity, means the altering of emphasis on the requirements of an agricultural-industrial economy. In so doing we must all be agreed that stability, not rigidity, in our economic affairs is a primary objective and its achievement is as much a personal as a governmental responsibility.

Our defence program is fast developing side by side with an expanding domestic economy. Even though the coming year undoubtedly will see additional military demands on our resources, on the record our capacities are equal to the tasks ahead.

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James Stewart, Vice-President and General Manager, after reviewing the balance sheet, highlights of which are given below, said in part:

During the year fiscal and monetary policies have had their influence in shaping the course of business and commercial activity.

An over-all reduction in the Bank's portfolio of securities is in part reflected in the increase in commercial loans. These increased loans were necessitated chiefly by rising production costs and higher-priced inventories, to the point in many instances of only caring for the same volume of business this year as in 1950, and also by increased financial requirements for military production, or for defence projects leading up to military production.

Faced with the task of preparedness for defence and recognizing the upward trend of prices that had been under way since the Korean outbreak, the Government suggested and the chartered banks agreed that steps should be taken to restrict the volume of credit as one measure of a national anti-inflationary policy. In the past nine months there has been a general endeavour to confine the extension of credit to productive channels.

I would venture to suggest that if restrictions had not been put into operation the cost-of-living index would have been higher than it is today. Likewise, our dollars allocated to defence spending would not have gone as far in acquiring military plant and equipment.

Staff

It is difficult to avoid apparent repetition in expressing my thanks to the members of the staff for their loyal co-operation throughout the year; my sincerity is nonetheless real. The understanding of the men and women of the staff who are in daily contact with the people of their communities has aided materially in achieving the present level of successful operations. I know that I express this appreciation on behalf of the shareholders as well as personally at this time.

ANNUAL STATEMENT HIGHLIGHTS

Comparative Figures in $ Thousands

1950		1951
$ 7,322	Profits Before Dominion Government Taxes	$ 8,378
2,014	Provision for Dominion Government Taxes	3,005
1,292	Depreciation on Bank Premises	1,350
4,015	Net Profits	4,023
1,755,317	Assets	1,734,098
823,003	Securities	686,073
577,274	Total Loans	678,839
1,623,713	Total Deposits	1,615,067

The Canadian Bank of Commerce

ROYALS BET BOUNCED

Ironmen Fight Flyers To Tie

Edmonton 1, Seattle 1
Tacoma 6, New Westminster 4

War broke out on the prairies last night as Seattle Ironmen and Edmonton Flyers fought—and we do mean fought—to a 1-1 deadlock in Pacific Coast Hockey League play.

At the same time New Westminster Royals found that heavy artillery, accurate as it may be, won't save the day late in a campaign.

Although they fired the final volley, three goals in the last nine minutes, Royals were defeated 6-4 by Tacoma Rockets.

As a result of the two contests, Edmonton Flyers climbed back into a sixth-place tie with Vancouver Canucks and the margin between Seattle and league-leading New Westminster was trimmed to four points.

GAME DELAYED

But to get back to the front lines. . . .

The donnybrook between Edmonton and Seattle broke out in the third period and five players landed in the penalty box, two of them—Bill Pettinger and Joe Conn—with 10-minute misconducts.

The brawl started when Dutch Delmonte of Seattle and Hartley McLeod tried some high-sticking. Both drew minor penalties. Flyer captain Doug McCaig joined in and also got a minor—for roughing. Then both benches let loose. It took officials about 10 minutes to restore peace.

All the scoring was done in the second period. Pettinger fired for Edmonton and Seattle's Walt Samanski provided the equalizer a minute later.

BIG MARGIN

In Tacoma, Rockets jumped into a 6-1 lead before the New Westminster range-finders were put in working order.

Rockets scored two goals in each period while New Westminister counted one in the second before coming along with its last-period rush.

Tacoma scorers were Doug Adam, Wingy Johnson, Bart Bradley (with two), Mark Marquess and Gordy Kerr.

Rookie Guyle Fielder picked up Royals' first goal. Amy Dufault, Gordy Fashoway and Clayton Lavell got hot in the dying minutes.

One game is scheduled tonight, when Seattle continues its prairie tour at Saskatoon.

BOMBER PREXY

WINNIPEG, Dec. 13 (CP)—W. Culver Riley, a Winnipeg insurance executive, Wednesday was elected president of the Winnipeg Blue Bombers Football Club. He succeeds Ralph S. Misener.

PHOENIX, Ariz.—Chick Musgrove, 165, San Diego, Calif., outpointed Paul Pargo, 165, Los Angeles (10).

SUMMARIES

NEW WESTMINSTER 4, TACOMA 6.

First Period—1, Tacoma, Adam (Pratt, Johnston) 7.12; 2, Tacoma, Johnston (Adam, Pratt) 7.28. Penalty: Bergeron.

Second Period—3, Tacoma, Bradley (Adam, Pratt) 1.42; 4, New Westminster, Fielder (Houle) 16.15; 5, Tacoma, Marquess (Halderson, Young) 19.55. Penalties: None.

Third Period—6, Tacoma, Kerr (Jones) 3.15; 7, Tacoma, Bradley (Johnson, Adam) 8.50; 8, New Westminster, Dufault (Lavell, Cabana) 11.05; 9, New Westminster, Fashoway (Paul, Fielder) 14.17; 10, New Westminster, Lavell (Forbes, Cabana) 16.55. Penalties: None.

SEATTLE 1, EDMONTON 1

First Period—Scoring: None. Penalties: Conn 4.40, Pettinger 7.40, Coburn 13.59, Pettinger 14.28, Taillefer 17.01.

Second Period—1, Edmonton, Pettinger 10.42; 2, Seattle, Samanski (Shero) 11.42. Penalty: Taillefer 12.06.

Third Period—Scoring: None. Penalties: Homenuke 4.23, Coburn 5.56, Delmonte 5.34, Conn (10-minute misconduct) 5.34, McCaig 5.34, Pettinger (10-minute misconduct) 5.34, McLeod 5.34, Tomiuk 16.49.

Stops: Little, 9, 10, 14—33; Cotnoir, 7, 4, 5—16.

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
New Westminster	18	8	6	117	86	42
Seattle	16	10	6	131	117	38
Saskatoon	12	6	7	80	72	31
Tacoma	12	13	4	116	115	28
VICTORIA	11	13	3	102	105	25
Edmonton	9	10	5	78	79	23
Vancouver	8	16	7	98	123	23
Calgary	8	18	2	84	113	18

Exhibition Rugby On Tap

The Victoria Rugby Union has gone into semi-retirement until after the New Year. It was decided Wednesday night not to play any more league games until January.

Saturday, two exhibition matches will be scheduled. Crusaders will meet Victoria College at University School and J.B.A.A. will play Oak Bay Wanderers at Windsor Park.

Both contests will begin at 2.30.

Packers Drop Fifth Straight

NELSON, B.C., Dec. 13 (CP)—Nelson Maple Leafs handed Kelowna Packers their fifth straight defeat Wednesday night, downing the touring Okanagan club 4-2 in a B.C. senior inter-league contest.

Two third-period goals by the Leafs settled the issue, Red Koehle getting the winner at 10.11 to break a 2-2 deadlock and Don Appleton adding the clincher.

Glen Smith and Johnny Harms scored the other Nelson tallies while Bo Carlson and Jim Lowe scored for Kelowna.

BURCHELL TO REPLACE JONES AS NAVY MENTOR

A man with a reputation of being a winner will take over the coaching reins of the Navy Commercial Hockey League team in its next outing.

Cmdr. H. G. Burchell will replace Fred Jones as pilot on the sailor crew as Jones leaves for special duty in England this week-end.

While Burchell has had a varied and colorful career in baseball and lacrosse, his name is most famous in eastern hockey circles.

Burchell began his playing career in the junior leagues of the Ontario Hockey Association. From there he graduated to the intermediate and senior leagues.

He also played with the University of Toronto seniors.

His own coaching career began with the Ontario Hockey Association and since then he has piloted clubs at University of Toronto, Stadacona and Tri-Services of the Maritime League, winning two straight championships. He coached the Navy team that recently toured Europe.

Won't Need These For A While

The Commercial Hockey League lost a fine coach and a swell guy Wednesday night when Fred Jones coached his last game with Navy. Petty Officer Jones is taking a special course in England and leaves with his family Saturday. Fred is the second Jones boy that the Navy has lost—brother Norm who played goal for the club last year is somewhere off Korea. Just so that Fred would have something pleasant to think about on his long trip, his team went out and scored a 10-1 win over the league-leading Seven-Ups Wednesday in the most convincing victory of the season.

Tony And Ted Mop Up Sweden's Davis Cuppers

MELBOURNE, Australia, Dec. 13 (AP).—Tony Trabert and Ted Schroeder virtually swept their Swedish opponents off the courts today in the first two singles matches of the United States-Sweden interzone Davis Cup final and were expected to finish the job by taking the doubles in similar convincing fashion.

Tony and Ted, whose selection over Vic Seixas and Dick Savitt caused some surprise, each won their singles matches in straight sets to give the United States a commanding 2-0 lead. A victory in the doubles will put the U.S. in the challenge round against Australia.

Trabert, a Cincinnati youth on leave from the navy, crushed Sven Davidsson, 6-3, 6-4, 9-7. Then the veteran Schroeder stormed over Lennart Bergelin, Sweden's No. 1 player, 6-2, 6-2, 6-4. Davidsson and Bergelin will pair against Tony and Ted in the doubles.

A crowd of 7,000 somewhat short of Koonyong Stadium's capacity, saw the one-sided matches.

In three sets Tony scored 39 clean winners, almost all of them on passing shots down the sidelines. Davidsson had only 29 winners, 14 of them in the final set. Practically all of his were scored from the net on sharp volleys.

SCHROEDER SUPERB

Indicative of his superiority Schroeder scored 32 placements to Bergelin's 13 and served nine aces to none for the Swede. The match lasted only 52 minutes the last set in 18 minutes.

BOB WOODS GETS ACE

Bob Woods was host at the 19th hole of the Uplands Golf Club Wednesday.

Woods, playing with Frank Jeffrey, Hugh Francis and Alex Briggs, drove a missle 202 yards for a hole-in-one on the fourth hole.

Buffalo Ties For AHL Lead

Buffalo Bisons outscored Cincinnati Mohawks 6-3 Wednesday night to move into a first-place tie with Hershey Bears in the eastern division of the American Hockey League.

The Bears lost a chance to maintain their slim two-point lead by dropping a close 3-2 decision to Syracuse Warriors.

At Buffalo, John McCormack scored three goals in the Bison's victory.

Vern Kaiser got two goals and the other Bison tally went to Eddie Mazur. Stan Long got four assists.

The Mohawks, blanked for two periods, broke through for goals by Jack McLeod, Herb Dickenson and Bill Wylie.

Oak Bay To Test Totems

Victoria High School Totems will tangle with Oak Bay High School in the feature contest of a three-game card at the Vic High gym Friday night.

The Totems, under the capable tutorship of Porky Andrews, will be out to defeat a team that has a pretty good record so far this season. In exhibition contests earlier this year, the suburbanites took wins from Esquimalt and Royal Roads.

In the opener at 7, Vic High girls will meet with Lake Cowichan High School, and the Totems B team will face the Lake Cowichan senior boys at 8.

Gasmen Add to Paddle Lead

Morgan & Tucker took a four-point lead in the Junior Table Tennis League Tuesday by defeating second-place Dowell's Cartage, 20-12. In another contest, B.C. Airlines defeated Jubilee Cab, 39-33.

Outstanding players of the evening were Ray Leason with an impressive record of eight wins and no losses, and Wayne Chew with 11 wins and one loss.

Individual scores follow:

Morgan & Tucker—R. Leason 8, J. Wood 6, P. Jackman 3, Peggy Ngai 3.
Dowell's Cartage—K. Lum 5, J. Gayton 4, D. Williams, V. Gordon 3.
B.C. Airlines—W. Chew 11, R. Greenwood 10, B. McCoy 8, H. Hope 7, Carol Lowery 1, Joy Lowery 2.
Jubilee Cab—R. Purvis 9, J. Munro 7, G. Potter 4, B. Holmes 4, M. Miller 8, Irene Soderman 1.

	Pts.
Morgan & Tucker	8
Jubilee Cab	4
Dowell's Cartage	4
B.C. Airlines	4

YULE TURKEY SHOOT BILLED FOR SUNDAY

Scattergun marksmen will converge in large numbers on the Albert Head Road grounds of the Victoria Gun Club Sunday.

They'll be out gunning for the largest arrays of turkeys ever assembled for a Yuletide prize shoot.

"Yep, we've got 85 turkeys on the block," reported Howard Damaske, club secretary.

Shooting will get under way at 10 in the morning and there'll be competitions on both the trap and skeet layouts during the colorful program.

There will be several shoot-offs to decide trophy winners for 1951.

Busy Week-end Slated For Minor Booters

With their first-half schedule rapidly drawing to a close, the Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Football Association will card a full slate of games this week-end.

Feature games are the two junior division struggles Sunday. At Shelbourne Park at 2.30, Heaney's will play the greatly improved Cowichan Braves while Victoria Combines take on Victoria College Vikings at lower Beacon Hill Park at 1.

An attempt will be made Sunday to break up the standstill that exists between Army, Navy and Air Force Vets and Harris Cycles, who have been tied for first place in the second division since early in November. All their games since then have ended in draws. They will try again Sunday at upper Beacon Hill Park at 1.

SATURDAY

Division III—Tzouhalem Altar Boys vs. Eagles, Duncan, 1 p.m.

Division IV—Combine Pee Wees vs. Mic Mac's, Lower Beacon Hill, 1 p.m.

Division V—St. Louis College vs. Eagles, Upper Beacon Hill, 1 p.m.

SUNDAY

Junior division—Heaney's vs. Cowichan Braves, Shelbourne Park, 2.30 p.m.; Victoria Combines vs. Victoria College Vikings, Lower Beacon Hill, 1 p.m.

Division II—Harris Cycles vs. Army, Navy and Air Force Vets, Upper Beacon Hill, 1 p.m.

Protocol Suffers In City Ice Loop

Sailors Set Pattern; Whip Bottlers

By DENNY BOYD

Just like Mount Hibok Hibok blew its top in the Philippines recently, the Commercial Hockey League erupted Wednesday night in a pyrotechnical display of sparks, smoke and steam that has been unparalleled this season.

Any team that resembled a favorite was frizzled up by the heat generated by three sizzling games as each game produced an upset, a bonanza of goals, or both.

Things looked a little out of order when Army tied 5-5 with Victoria Merchants in the first game.

Then when the usually reserved Civil Service squad went out and racked Individual Cleaners 8-1, fans began to look for a gimick—the games were just not going according to the script. By the time the third game rolled around, anything was expected. So, just as if it was the most natural thing in the world to do, the hopped-up Navy club tied the can to first-place Seven-Ups with a 10-1 clobbering that was wondrous to behold, so decisive was it.

BREMNER HURT

The only unhappy note in the evening's festivities was that Seven-Ups' popular playing coach Ronnie Bremner was removed to hospital after he took a bad fall, landing on the back of his head. It was first believed that Bremner had suffered a concussion but hospital authorities reported this morning that his injury was not serious and he would probably be released today.

The Army-Merchants tie was like something out of a Hollywood grade B thriller. Army trailed 5-4 with half a minute left in the game. On a face-off in front of the Army nets, Roy White took a pass from Rod Hallam, broke down the right boards, eluded two defensemen and beat Merchants' goalie Ab Ellis to create the deadlock.

LIKE PAPER ON THE WALL

It was see-saw all the way as Army went ahead first on Rostek's goal but Taylor tied it up for Merchants two minutes later. Connie McBeth for Merchants and Nash for Army made it 2-2, but Army went ahead on Curley Pettis' goal.

Cliff Coulter and Walt Jensen supplied a 4-3 edge for Merchants early in the third period but Cy Vary beat the entire Merchant squad to tie it up again. At 11.23 Ken Gunter poked a loose puck in from a scramble and it seemed that Merchants had it in the sack until White made his historic dash.

The Civil Service victory was almost the exclusive property of the first-string line of Al Smith, Al Davuduk and Les Corby as the tireless threesome figured in six of their team's eight goals and back-checked the punchless Individuals into submission. G-man goalie Dave Freisen supplied the incentive as he blocked nine shots in the first three minutes of the game as Viduals made their strongest threat.

LATE GOAL

The only time Viduals beat the red-hot netminder was with five minutes left in the game. A completely uninhibited third period produced a game misconduct to Stu Timbers of Civil Service for loose talk to referee Leo Ornest and a fist-brandishing brawl initiated by Arnold Elliot and Freisen.

No one enjoyed the night more fully than Fred Jones, Navy coach who leaves for duty in England Saturday. He saw his club skate rings, squares and hexagons around Seven-Ups, scoring twice as many goals as they have in any contest this year. Del Brown and Al Standley notched a pair apiece in the decimation.

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Seven-Ups	6	2	1	46	36	13
Merchants	5	3	3	37	31	12
Navy	4	4	1	35	30	9
Army	3	4	2	29	31	8
Civil Service	3	5	1	34	37	7
Individuals	2	6	1	23	39	5

Next games, Wednesday: Civil Service vs. Victoria Merchants, Seven-Ups vs. Army, Individuals vs. Navy.

DOUG FLETCHER

Temple New Puck Prexy; Doug To Raise Chickens

Doug Fletcher, well known throughout the local sporting world, Wednesday night officially resigned as president and treasurer of the Victoria Minor Hockey Association.

Fletcher gave as his reason the fact he has entered into the poultry business and will have to devote all his time to that more enterprising project. With eggs at 59 cents a dozen, who can blame him?

Doug leaves behind him a long list of friends, both old and young, all of whom will miss him, but nevertheless wish him success in his new business venture.

Ivan Temple, vice-president of the association, automatically became the new president. Laurie Perlette, head of the bantam division, has been elected vice-president and C. Goldring treasurer.

SUMMARIES

VICTORIA MERCHANTS 5, ARMY 5

First period—1, Army, Roster (White) 4.25; 2, Merchants, Taylor (Gunter) 6.26; 3, Merchants, McBeth (Taylor, Gunter) 7.10. Penalty—Arnold.

Second period—4, Army, Nash 2.52; 5, Army, Pettis (Nash) 11.22; 6, Merchants, C. Coulter (B. Coulter) 12.20. Penalty—Avery.

Third period—7, Merchants, W. Jensen (Gallant) 10.16; 8, Army, Vary (Hallam) 10.20; 9, Merchants, Gunter 11.23; 10, Army, White 19.25. Penalties—Hunter, Pishko, Hallam, Roster, R. Jensen, Avery.

CIVIL SERVICE 8, INDIVIDUALS 1

First period—1, Civil Service, Smith 3.06; 2, Civil Service, Davyduk (McColl) 13.17; 3, Civil Service, Smith (Corby) 14.10. Penalty—McLean.

Second period—4, Civil Service, McLean (McColl) 4.15; 5, Civil Service, Norbury 5.40. Penalties—Stusek 2, Quinn.

Third period—6, Civil Service, Smith (McLean) 1.50; 7, Civil Service, Corby (Quinn, Davyduk) 4.21; 8, Civil Service, Koppa (Corby) 4.41; 9, Individuals, Elliot (Green, McConechy) 14.45. Penalties—Corby, Davyduk, Timbers (minor and game misconduct), Elliot (major), Green, Norbury (major and 10-minute misconduct), Freison, Beens.

SEVEN-UPS 1, NAVY 10

First period—1, Navy, Standley (Grette) 4.16; 2, Navy, LaPointe (Wood) 8.30; 3, Navy, Standley 13.50. Penalties: None

Second period—4, Seven-Ups, Varga (Burrows) 2.10; 5, Navy, Brown (Standley) 4.27; 6, Navy, Wood, 5.20; 7, Navy, Coulter (McKay) 7.30; 8, Navy, Hill (Coulter) 9.16. Penalty: Standley.

Third period—9, Navy, Hill (Riches) 7.10; 10, Navy, Brown (Shedlowski) 9.57; 11, Navy, Riches, 14.46. Penalties: Scott, Grette.

Raleigh New Threat To Ted

New York's Don Raleigh broke loose Wednesday night with one goal and three assists to move into a second-place tie with Elmer Lach of Montreal in the National Hockey League's individual scoring race.

Leaders follow:	G.	A.	Pts.
Kennedy, Toronto	10	16	26
Raleigh, New York	7	17	24
Lach, Montreal	6	18	24
Richard, Montreal	15	8	23
Smith, Toronto	10	13	23
Howe, Detroit	11	10	21
Mosienko, Chicago	11	9	20

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HO HUM! CHARLES WINS

Maxim Should Realize It Ain't Worth While

By RUSS NEWLAND

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13 (AP). — Former heavyweight champion Ezzard Charles has finally convinced light-heavyweight title-holder Joey Maxim after five beatings that it is a hopeless cause to challenge him.

Charles, who expects to punch the crown off Jersey Joe Walcott's head in their return fight early next year, dashed Maxim's hopes for a successful foray into the heavier division at the Cow Palace last night.

The lean Cincinnati negro outpunched the 175-pound king to win an easy 12-round decision.

There were no knockdowns and not much sustained action. Neither was damaged or even in trouble. The crowd of 10,827 booed at times in dull moments when Maxim engaged in frequent clinches.

Gross receipts were $60,886.25, the net was $48,000, plus $25,000 from television, for a $63,000 total. Charles took 35 per cent of that; Maxim 27½ per cent and the Chronicle Christmas Fund for needy children, 10 per cent. Promoter Jimmy Murray said the bout was a losing venture.

Both Charles and Maxim immediately looked forward to championship fights not too long off.

Charles declared, "I think I can whip anyone in the world until they beat me." That's what Walcott did last July when he kayoed Ezzard in a surprise win.

MATTHEWS KNOW THIS?

Maxim, who whipped Irish Bob Murphy in defense of his championship a few months ago, is going to campaign in his own division. He said he was ready to take on the principal contenders, Harry (Kid) Matthews of Seattle or veteran Archie Moore of St. Louis, any time.

HOCKEY SCORES

N.H.L.
Boston 3, New York 6.
P.C.H.L.
New Westminster 4, Tacoma 6.
Seattle 1, Edmonton 1.
A.H.L.
Pittsburgh 3, Cleveland 4.
Cincinnati 3, Buffalo 6.
Hershey 2, Syracuse 3.
MARITIME MAJOR
Glace Bay 3, Halifax 2.
Saint John 0, Charlottetown 1.
Moncton 1, Sydney 4.
QUEBEC SENIOR
Shawinigan Falls 5, Ottawa 3.
Chicoutimi 3, Quebec 4.
QUEBEC JUNIOR
Quebec 3, St. Jerome 6.
Montreal Chrislaens 1, Three Rivers 1.
ONTARIO SENIOR A
Stratford 3, Kitchener 5.
Brantford 4, Sarnia 2.
ONTARIO JUNIOR A
Barrie 3, Toronto Marlboros 2.
St. Catharines 5, Windsor 4.
Galt 5, Oshawa 3.
Waterloo 1, Toronto St. Michaels 8.
EASTERN CANADA SENIOR
Buckingham 1, Renfrew 5.
NORTHERN ONTARIO SENIOR
Sudbury Wolves 7, Sudbury Miners 4.
WESTERN INTERNATIONAL-OKANAGAN SENIOR
Kelowna 2, Nelson 4.
SASKATCHEWAN BIG FOUR SENIOR
Moose Jaw 4, Regina 4.
MANITOBA JUNIOR
Brandon 2, Winnipeg Monarchs 7.

CHEMAINUS GETTING IN THE ACT

Island Boxers Have A New Arrival

The newest offspring in the prolific family of the Vancouver Island Amateur Boxing Association is the Chemainus child.

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Guided by "papa" Vern Ferguson, the club has grown and developed amazingly in the last month. Ferguson, brother of Victoria's Arnie, says that promoting sports in the thriving little community is his greatest pleasure in life and that he feels that boxing can become as popular in Chemainus as has basketball and baseball.

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The Chemainus Club now feels prepared to get into the Island swing and has scheduled a whopping show at their own clubhouse Saturday night.

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There will be 10 bouts, three of them featuring Chemainus fighters against Victoria boys. The other eight bouts will be drawn from other clubs on the Island in an effort to make Chemainus' debut one that will be colorful and that will help in uniting the scattered Island clubs.

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The feature bout on the card matches Esquimalt's big boy Bert Wilkinson with Chemainus' George McLeod.

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Wilkinson is best known for the two pier D battles he had with classy Young Bruneau of Navy. Bruneau defeated Wilkinson in the first bout but Wilkinson came back with a rush to cop the verdict in their second tussle. Fighting at 160, Wilkinson is a flat-footed slugger type who packs horses in both gloves.

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McLeod is a wily veteran of many years in the fight game. He fought Jack Patterson in Victoria in 1938, following which Patterson went on to become Golden Gloves heavyweight champ.

JACK PATTERSON

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These bouts will serve as a conditioner for the inter-city card presented in Victoria Ballroom by the V.I.A.B.A. Dec. 20. Top scrap on that card is touted as the fight between Wilkinson and Alberni's Sammy May. Anyone who has seen May fight will remember him as massively-built boy who stalks his opponents like a panther and disposes of them in like fashion.

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Five Vancouver boys are expected to help swell the bill, including 100-pounder Jim Walters, brother of Len Walters, who won the A.A.U. featherweight championship.

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Coleman's Column

By JIM COLEMAN

Judging from an examination of the penalty records, the National Hockey League season is in full swingeroo. Scarcely an evening passes without some player being clobbered by an indignant opponent, an infallible indication that the boys are taking their jobs seriously. As long as the athletes refrain from cleaving skulls with their sticks, there should be no cause for alarm—it is only occasionally that fisticuffing on the ice takes a serious turn. There isn't any greater frequency of hand-to-hand fighting on the ice today than there was 30 years ago.

Coleman

It is, however, a sad fact that injuries are more frequent today and that is a problem which calls for some earnest consideration.

The massive brains of "The Hot Stove League" attempted to explain the situation in a coast-to-coast broadcast from Toronto recently and, since your correspondent was a participant in that debate, we are in a position to report on the august deliberations.

The depressing conclusion reached was that professional hockey is assailed by a disease common to all other professional sports—that is to say that a set of rules is devised and the players (or is it the coaches?) attempt to find some way of circumventing those rules.

There's Too Many Clutch Players

The current style of hockey in the National Hockey League will be defended, naturally, on the grounds that it is providing entertainment for packed arenas in such cities as Toronto and Montreal which, after all, are believed to have the most critical hockey audiences in the world. The spectators enjoy the modern slam-bang game and the promoters have only to point to their attendance figures to substantiate this argument.

However, for this correspondent's money (which is approximately $1.80 in cash at the moment) there is too much holding, clutching and board-checking in N.H.L. hockey. Without having accurate statistics at our disposal, we would suggest that many of the injuries result from players being checked into the boards and we suggest further that much of the fisticuffing results from players being clutched illegally in the defensive zone.

It is possible that the men who reap the financial harvest from the N.H.L. sometimes lose sight of the fact that their league is the "show case" for hockey throughout Canada.

The activities in the National Hockey League have a profound effect on every Canadian boy who wishes to be a hockey player.

Those Little Kids Notice Everything

The playing-tactics which are employed in the National Hockey League are becoming the playing-tactics which are considered the standard for every little league in Podunk or Squeedunk.

Your correspondent is in receipt of a plaintive note from the father of a 14-year-old boy in Winnipeg. The boy is playing on a community-league team which is coached by a former Winnipeg junior, who, in turn, has some flimsy connection with an N.H.L. club.

The old man went out to a practice and was somewhat confused to see the coach instructing his son in the niceties of holding an opponent illegally inside the defensive zone.

This is, perhaps, an isolated incident but we fear that it is indicative of a trend.

Time And A Half For Overtime?

Oh, yeah—and what's all this banana-oil about the hockey promoters being opposed to a 10-minute overtime period? Don't they think that the audience is entitled to another 10 minutes at the current inflated prices?

When we were watching N.H.L. games at the Montreal Forum 20 years ago and more, you could be reasonably sure that the game would be over by 10.20, unless there was some unusual delay.

Now, it is seldom that a game is completed before 10.40 or 10.45.

The only reasonable assumption is that the intermissions must be longer and the rink-operators are giving the concessionaires an opportunity to grind out a few more bucks in frankfurters and coffee.

CASH IS READY

Vancouver Grid Team Now Seems Certainty

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13 (CP).—Vancouver will have a team in the Western Football League Conference next fall, team promoters said Wednesday.

The league had told Vancouver football interests they would have to post a $25,000 "good-faith" bond by Jan. 1 if they wanted to join the conference in 1952.

The cash is ready to lay on the line, Ralph Anderson, treasurer of the organizing committee, said today.

"The bond will be posted by Jan. 1 and we plan to hire a manager and coach by that date," he said.

CANDIDATES NAMED

Candidates mentioned so far for the manager's post: Joe Ryan, former manager of Winnipeg Blue Bombers and Montreal Alouettes; Fritz (Twinkletoes) Hansen, one-time Bomber backfield star who now is selling insurance in Calgary; and Bob Robinett, an American who was appointed director of athletics at the University of British Columbia this year.

Only name put forward so far for the coaching post is that of Joe Ruetzed, line coach of Stanford University Indians, who will play in the Rose Bowl New Year's Day.

The team hasn't a name yet. Suggested have been: Totems, Loggers and Lions, among others.

STADIUM QUESTION

Selecting a name presents no problem at all compared with the one concerning what the club will use for a home stadium.

It has been suggested the team executive will get together with the facilities committee for the 1954 British Empire Games, which will be staged here.

The B.E.G. committee is to build a 40,000-seat stadium at U.B.C—but, as current plans stand, it won't be ready until 1954.

Vancouver's football club may urge the B.E.G. committee to start stadium construction now, giving it a 15,000-seat shelter by the time gridiron time rolls around next fall.

After the problems of money and a suitable stadium comes the question of players. Vancouver has sent several players to big-time football but whether they could be enticed home is another matter.

Vancouver-trained players include Rod Pantages and Pete Thodos of Montreal, Brian Mulhern, Ed Barry and Gil Steer of Calgary and Don Lord of Edmonton.

Island Racers Affiliate With Dominion Body

Bob Watson, commodore of the Victoria Inboard and Outboard Association announced Wednesday night that the speedboat club has now joined the Canadian Boating Federation.

The move was made in an effort to give the association every possible operating advantage at both Canadian and American racing meets. Previous to this, the V.I.O.A. had belonged to the American Power Boat Association and had entered all races under U.S. direction and supervision.

The new agreement the Victoria Association has worked out with the Canadian Boating Federation will permit local members to compete at regattas sanctioned by the A.P.B.A. anywhere in the U.S. This will also enable the association to extend similar privileges to American drivers.

N.H.L. Governors Ban Overtime Play

Travel Seen As Main Obstacle

NEW YORK, Dec. 13 (CP). The National Hockey League has again turned thumbs down on overtime play.

The board of governors of the league at a meeting Wednesday decided that unless overtime could be used to break all tie games it would not be desirable.

The catch seems to be train time-tables. Transportation difficulties would prevent overtime at certain games at New York and Montreal.

Three teams—Chicago, Boston and New York—were reported to be in favor of overtime but only if it could be made universal.

The matter was brought up by Boston general manager Art Ross who made a similar suggestion last year. It also was turned down.

Overtime was done away with in the N.H.L. during the war as it was in all professional hockey. However, the American Hockey League has reinstated the 10-minute overtime period.

The meeting, a spokesman reported, also:

1. Banned exhibition games between big league teams during the regular season. One such game is scheduled between New York Rangers and Chicago Black Hawks in Milwaukee, Wis., in January but after that no more will be allowed.

GATE RECEIPTS UP

2. Heard a report from league president Clarence Campbell that gate receipts are better so far this season than last in all league cities except Chicago. No figures were given.

3. Discussed, but did not act upon; a proposal by Boston that all visiting teams share in gate receipts. Campbell pointed out this was banned by the league constitution.

4. Approved a brief already drawn up to be sent to the congressional committee in Washington which is investigating the anti-trust aspects of the reserve clause in professional sport contracts. The brief was not made public.

AT LEAST THEY AGREED THERE WAS DIRTY PLAY

CARMEL, Calif., Dec. 13 (UP).—The annual midwinter meeting of the Pacific Coast Conference draws to a close today with the big shout about "over-aggressive" football a closed incident.

Coaches, faculty representatives and athletic directors from the conference finish off their work today with the election of new officers and the cleaning up of minor unfinished business.

The long-expected blow-off on charges of dirty play in football came last night when nine coaches stood up and took turns pointing accusing fingers at each other relative to unnecessary roughness, handling of football films, officiating, scouting and recruiting.

But out of the verbal battle came a complete understanding, they announced, that assured good football for the 1952 season.

ARROWS GO UNDER

Lewis Big Gun In Vets Rally

Veterans of France closed the gap on the senior B league-leading Arrow Furniture quintet at Vic High gym Wednesday night by gaining a thrilling last-minute 35-34 win.

Their private series in the three-team senior B loop now stands at three games to two in favor of the Arrows.

It was big Jimmy Lewis who potted what turned out to be the winning basket. The three-quarter score was 28-27 in favor of Arrows but the Vets sank four field goals in a row with only a single basket in reply from Arrows.

With a minute left in the game, and the score 35-29 for Vets, the furnituremen netted two quick field goals by Howie Tooby and Jim Ranson. Ranson was fouled while shooting with seven seconds left in the game and was awarded two free shots with his club two points in arrears. He potted the first shot to leave his club trailing only 34-35 but his second attempt rolled around the rim and out again.

SCOTT & PEDEN SCORES

In two other games on the same card, Laurie Veitch and Ted Saunders scored 19 and 16 points respectively in Scott & Peden's 54-27 rout of Chinese Students and Scott & Wright junior boys edged St. Louis College juniors 19-13.

Line-ups follow:

St. Louis College—Longpre 4, Rittich 2, Cassidy 3, Housden 4, Perry, Dawson, Latta, Flynn. Total—13.

Scott & Wright—Little 2, Bayner 4, C. Creighton 11, McCreasie, Hawes 2, Partridge, H. Creighton. Total—19.

Scott & Peden—Jackson 4, Veitch 19, Davies 4, Saunders 16, Windle 2, Hunter 6, Stokes 1, Sim 2, Burton. Total—54.

Chinese Students — Sam, Eng, 7, Low Derr 6, Lou 10, Stank 3, Hampton 1, Mar. Total—27.

Veterans of France—Lewis 7, Acreman 16, Bamford 7, Boyd, Bishop 2, Gordon, Burgess, McCorkall 3, Nicholson. Total—35.

Arrow Furniture—Castner 7, Ranson 10, Prior 4, Stewart 3, Anderson 6, Davidson, Ireland, Tooby 4, Browning. Total—34.

Tribe Gives Most To U.S. Armed Forces

CLEVELAND, Dec. 13 (AP)—Cleveland Indians may have finished second in the American League, but they are way out in front of the American League in contributions to the military.

When rookie catcher Hal Naragon reported for induction Tuesday, it brought to eight the number of the Cleveland players now in the armed forces.

There now are 29 American Leaguers in military service. The Indians' eight equals the combined figure of the three other first division clubs—New York, Boston and Chicago.

Besides Naragon, the tribe has lost one other player since the close of last season, outfielder Stu Locklin. The rest are pitchers Dick Weik, Al Aber, Hal Saltzman and Leroy Wheat, and outfielders Jim Lemon and Herb Adams.

BOWLING SCORES

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SENIOR TENPIN LEAGUE

Strathcona Cafe—C. Marks 490, C. McBeth 553, F. Shaw 476, R. McArthur 485, R. Begg 480. Totals 789, 850, 845—2,784.

Toggery Shop—J. Howell 507, A. Quinn 407, C. Thomas 422, J. Ferguson 489, R. Wilson 598. Totals 727, 922, 774—2,423.

Strathcona Cafe won two games, Toggery Shop won one game.

Gorge Hotel—A. Palmer 598, R. Turner 443, L. Murrand 480, W. Norris 472, F. Welsh 537. Totals 851, 785, 894—2,530.

Watson's Men's Wear—K. Munn 494, W. Johnston 426, P. Graham 490, J. Cambrey 502, N. Howard 550. Totals 825, 744, 893—2,462.

Gorge Hotel won three games.

Orange Crush—W. Coates 497, J. Leetham 503, H. Hawkins 503, H. Cowan 570, W. Holness 585. Totals 888, 854, 916—2,658.

Dickson's Tea and Coffee—G. Motion 840, D. Ritchie 422, Low Score 448, D. Bowles 469 L. Lewis 539. Totals 793, 807, 808—2,408.

Orange Crush won three games.

COMMERCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Tillicums—J. Latham, 692, T. O'Connell 556, E. Viggers 471, N. Bambrough 720, S. Smith 600. Totals: 1067, 1142, 1148—3357.

Ideal Barbers—C. McRae 777, O. Corbett 863, J. A. Green 663, E. Harbinson 685, S. Thomson 362, T. McConnan 209. Totals: 1156, 1323, 1086—3565.

Ideal Barbers won three points.

Victoria Laundry—Don McCaig 795, H. Butler 666, E. Gropp 640, Dunc McCaig 847, H. Gent 768. Totals: 1208, 1437, 1143—3788.

Canoeway Service—H. Milliken 791, Art DeGirolamo 630, W. Musgrave 642, A. DeGirolamo 648, H. Cowan 651. Totals: 966, 1107, 1290—3363.

Victoria Laundry won three points.

Northwestern Creamery—E. Morgan 641, J. Jones 611, E. Ball 700, E. Brasseur 617, A. Majorki 677. Totals: 1037, 1160, 1049—3246.

Central Welders—D. Prezeau 646, L. Lenton 365, R. Graff 472, A. Piercy 680, R. Martin 347, H. Chandler 422. Totals: 1007, 926, 1149—3082.

Northwestern Creamery won three points.

Coca-Cola—E. Ware 790, A. McHaffie 689, J. Scoular 506, E. Erb 530, J. Birkenhead 622. Totals: 966, 1162, 1115—3183.

Stubbs—E. Curtis 415, S. Watson 623, W. Walker 569, A. McKeachie 330, E. Fox 640, J. McKendry 318. Totals: 989, 866, 1040—2895.

Coca-Cola won three points.

Red's Service—C. Wallis 663, B. Acres 592, P. Acres 624, A. Longley 662, D. Anderson 593. Totals: 1025, 964, 1144—3134.

Hicks—L. White 711, D. Ewing 668, C. Pugh 649, A. Price 347, A. Copp 647, G. Curie 158. Total: 1043, 1064, 1121—3228.

Hicks won three points.

TIME OUT!

By Jeff Keate

"It's just until basketball season is over—Coach says he's determined to keep the gamblers away from us players!"

JOE'S UNIFORM TO BE RETIRED ALONG WITH JOE

NEW YORK, Dec. 13 (AP)—Joe DiMaggio's famous "5," the number he carried on his New York Yankee uniform for 13 brilliant playing seasons, will be retired, club publicity director Arthur E. Patterson announced.

In a special ceremony on opening day next April, DiMaggio's uniform along with his glove and the bat with which he hit his last home run, will be presented to baseball's hall of fame in Cooperstown, N.Y.

Puck Leagues Must Conform To New Ruling

MIDLAND, Ont., Dec. 13 (CP)—All hockey leagues under the jurisdiction of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association must return to the icing-the-puck rule "within a reasonable time," George S. Dudley, secretary-manager of the C.A.H.A., said today.

He was commenting on statements yesterday by Ken Mayhew of Yorkton, Sask., president of the Saskatchewan Amateur Hockey Association, that teams in that province may continue to use the present rule if that is the wish of their league.

The old rule, which allows the puck to be fired into the end zone from just across the centre line, was returned to the book recently by a vote of the C.A.H.A. executive. The new rule, in effect for the first time this year and which now has been abolished, calls for the puck to be carried or passed over the blueline without reaching the goal line.

Mayhew said the C.A.H.A. apparently had allowed some leeway in returning to the old rule.

However, Dudley said Mayhew had "apparently misinterpreted the directive" sent out by the C.A.H.A. "They will have to return to the old rule as quickly as possible," he said.

The Ontario Hockey Association, said Dudley, is returning to the old ruling Dec. 17.

N.H.L. SUMMARY

First Period—1, New York, Hergesheimer (Mickoski, Ronty), 13.27; 2, New York, Slowinski (Raleigh, Stewart), 19.34. Penalty—Stanley, 10.51.

Second Period — 3, New York, Raleigh (Stewart, Buller), 4.00; Boston, Peirson (McIntyre), 14.45; 5, Boston, Creighton (McIntyre, Kyle), 15.13. Penalties—Laycoe 2.39, Peirson 6.51, Sinclair 8.49, Kyle 16.33, Stanley 18.25, Buller 20.00.

Third Period—6, New York, Stewart (Raleigh), 2.30; 7, Boston, Schmidt (Quackenbush), 2.55; 8, New York, Stewart (Slowinski, Raleigh), 11.57; 9, New York, Sinclair, 16.35. Penalties, none.

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Detroit	14	4	7	67	44	35
Toronto	13	7	7	62	50	31
Boston	9	9	8	54	55	26
Montreal	9	13	2	59	64	21
New York	8	13	5	67	80	21
Chicago	9	15	2	59	75	20

HELPS SINK BOSTON

Gaye Stewart Pays Dividend

By CANADIAN PRESS

Before the National Hockey League season started, manager Frank Boucher of New York Rangers was as happy as a school kid over the off-season trade that sent winger Tony Leswick to Detroit Red Wings for Gaye Stewart. The Fort William flash would inject some sorely-needed scoring punch into the Blueshirts, said Boucher.

The experts figured that Frank got a bum deal in spades as the season started and Stewart couldn't buy a goal. Here was a fellow who never had scored fewer than 17 goals a campaign since he hit the big time in 1941 with Toronto.

He went scoreless for 22 games and then started clicking a week ago. Now he has six, exactly one-third of his 1950-51 production with the Wings.

Gaye clicked with Nos. 5 and 6 last night as Rangers dumped Boston Bruins 6-3 and vaulted from the cellar spot into a fourth-place tie with Montreal Canadiens. It was Stewart's third two-goal effort in the last four games.

There was only one sour note to the proceedings—the only activity of the N.H.L. front—and that was the crowd. It was 6,104, the lowest of the season to date, which is a mite surprising in view of the Blueshirts' thumping 7-2 victory over Toronto at Madison Square Gardens last Sunday.

The Rangers now have scored 15 goals in three games, which should be more than enough to satisfy Manhattan fans who have been screaming for sudden-death overtime after watching the Blueshirts stumble through close-scoring games the last two seasons.

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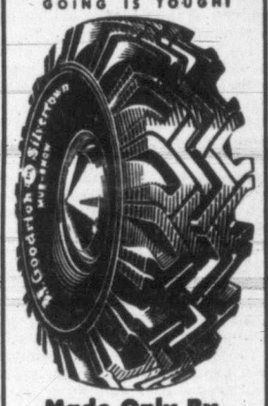

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WITH THE FORCES

Services Plan Parties Through Holiday Week

Christmas parties for kiddies are the feature on the reserve and active forces' agenda this month.

Canadian Scottish Regt. (Princess Mary's) has the heaviest Yuletide schedule at Bay Street Armories.

The regimental dance is slated for this Saturday night. The Christmas tree party for the kiddies of all ranks will be held on the afternoon of Dec. 23 between 2 and 5. It is open both to children of serving members of the Scottish reserve battalion and the kiddies of members in the company of the Scottish with the 27th Canadian Infantry Brigade, now in the process of taking over a defense role in Continental Europe.

The Scottish sergeants' mess will hold its annual Christmas social on the night of Dec. 22, **Sgt. Stanley James**, mess steward and two-war veteran, reports.

The R.C.N. here has parties for sailors' children from Dec. 18 to 21, inclusive. All will be held at the gym in H.M.C.S. Naden at 2 in the afternoon. The Yule tree parties are also for the kiddies of officers and men in H.M.C. ships in Korean action waters.

The reserve army's 8 A.A.O.R. and the 5th (B.C.) Coast Regt., R.C.A., will join hands for a children's Yule tree party at 2.30 on the afternoon of Dec. 22 at the armory.

The Scottish officers' mess will be holding their annual popular New Year's Eve dance at the Armory. It is strictly an invitational affair.

Both army and navy guarantee their personnel who have to stay in barracks this Christmas will be given the usual holiday dinner with all trimmings. This applies both at Work Point Barracks and the anti-aircraft batteries' camp at Gordon Head.

At 9 on the same day the two units will enjoy an evening of music, dancing, movies and other entertainment.

This is the month for the visit of the paymaster for reserve units. He's the most popular guy in the army this month.

Briefs: R.C.A.F. recruiting here is claiming a top record for the active air force. . . . **Sgt. C. B. Williamson**, formerly of A. & T. staff for 8 A.A.O.R., is home for Christmas from R.C.E.M.E. school at Kingston, Ont. He is an instructor at the school.

The anti-aircraft operations room is still looking for recruits, lots of them. The unit wants young men interested in radio or radar and others interested in ack-ack defense methods. **Sgt. J. L. Weeks** would like to hear from any of them at G 6043 (unit office at Armory) any time between Monday and Friday from 9 in the morning to 4 in the afternoon.

Tug Order Aids Hungry Shipyards

A keel was laid at noon today at Yarrows for a tug which will cost in the neighborhood of $350,000.

The vessel, which will be completed by May, is for the Powell River Company which has already a fleet of about 30 tugs. The new vessel will be the seventh to be used for log towing in and out of Powell River.

H. A. Wallace, managing director of Yarrows, said placement of a contract to have the vessel built in B.C. was significant since very few jobs of this sort had been placed since the end of the Second World War.

Instead of building, Wallace said, Canadian shipping companies have been buying war surplus tugs and barges from the United States.

"These importations, actually dumping, are of grave concern to the shipbuilding industry here," Wallace said. "The industry will suffer for many years through not having the usual replacement and expanding tonnage to build.

Yarrows Ltd. and other B.C. shipyards have called upon Ottawa to stop entry into Canada of these vessels, but no government embargo has been applied.

Between Jan. 1, 1946, and Dec. 31, 1950, a Yarrows representative reckoned 139 vessels and 86 barges were imported into B.C. Not counting the Scottish-built Princess Patricia and Princess Marguerite, he estimated more than $5,000,000 worth of ships have been brought into this province from outside.

"We hope other companies will follow the lead of the Powell River Company and build their ships and barges in B.C.," Wallace declared.

Mrs. M. J. Foley, wife of the executive vice-president of the Powell River Company, officiated at the keel laying.

The tug will be powered by a 700-H.P. Diesel engine. Overall length is 100 feet, beam 25½ feet.

Noted Blues Singer Dies In Hospital

POUGHKEEPSIE, N.Y., Dec. 13 (UP)—Mildred Bailey, 44, one of the greatest white blues singers who was famed for singing "Old Rocking Chair," died Wednesday night of a heart ailment.

Miss Bailey entered St. Francis Hospital only a week ago. She had been overweight for many years because of her enormous appetite and a glandular disorder.

Her real name was Mildred Rinker, but she retained her first husband's name in becoming the great blues stylist of the early 1930's with Paul Whiteman's jazz band.

Miss Bailey began plugging songs for a Seattle music store before the Wall Street crash of 1929.

U.S. Reports New Uranium Deposits

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13 (AP)—New uranium discoveries in the San Juan Mountains of southwest Colorado were announced Wednesday by the interior department. The new finds were made in the Uncompahgre and Red Mountain mining district of Ouray and San Juan counties. None has proved of immediate interest for commercial production.

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Christmas Wines	Eaman's, Ginger, Sherry, Port, etc. 25-oz.	35c
Sliced Peaches	Royal City, 15-oz.	24¢
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Fruit Cocktail	Del Monte, 20-oz.	35¢
Grapefruit Juice	Bestex, Texas Pink, Unsweetened, 20-oz. 2 tins	25¢
Grapefruit Juice	Bestex, Texas Pink, Unsweetened, 48-oz.	29¢
Cut Green Beans	Nabab, Fancy, 15-oz. 2 tins	41¢
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Peas	Lynn Valley, 15-oz. 2 tins	29¢
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Royal Tudor Tea	Lb.	79¢
Mixed Nuts	In shell, 1-lb. Cello bag	39¢
Licorice Allsorts	Faultless, 16-oz. Cello bag	36¢
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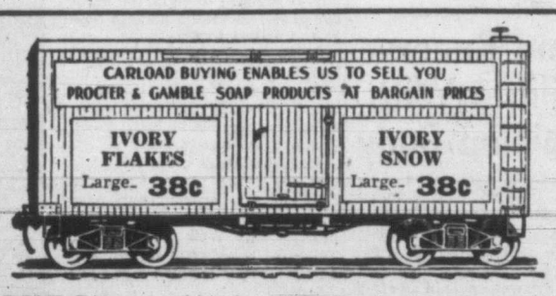

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ON THE LABOR SCENE

By DAVE STOCK

A provincial federation of T.L.C. unions more than likely will be set up and functioning this time next year.

Stock

Arguments in favor of establishing such a body were advanced from many quarters last week at a meeting of T.L.C. unionists from all parts of B.C. who gathered in Penticton. The meeting for three days talked about matters in which delegates had a common interest. Provincial laws occupied most of their attention.

The I.C.A. Act, the Workmen's Compensation Act and the Hospital Insurance Act were given a particular going-over. Numerous resolutions were passed concerning these matters.

The significant thing, however, was that delegates were glad of the chance to get together and express their views on matters of provincial scope. The suggestion that such meetings be held regularly was spontaneous. And the logical follow-up was the idea of a proper provincial organization.

At the moment, provincial affairs are watched over by a six-man executive committee of the T.L.C. It may consult, from time to time, various labor councils on certain matters of importance but it has only to answer to the parent congress.

CONGRESS TOO BUSY

The congress, many unionists feel, is often too busy with federal matters to pay much attention to affairs of a strictly provincial nature. At the same time, it is argued, local trade councils are inclined to concentrate on affairs in their district, letting provincial matters slip.

A provincial federation, they say, is needed to fill the gap.

The Penticton meeting set up a committee to look into the matter of organizing such a federation before it finally adjourned.

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A. P. Rayment, secretary of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council, who attended the Okanagan meeting, reports resolutions submitted from this city received almost 100 per cent support from delegates from other parts.

The gathering approved a Victoria recommendation that milk prices be held by means of government subsidization.

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The Victoria Local of the Bakery & Confectionery Workers' International Union submitted its arguments today to a three-man conciliation board to rule on difference between the union and three city bakeries. Firms involved are McGavin's, Weston's and Canadian 4-X.

WANT BETTER TERMS

The union is seeking a $10 a week increase for both male and female workers. The companies were willing to pay the men $10, but offered the women $7.50. The union, which already has a 40-hour week, wants the 40 hours to be worked in five days. Their work week now stretches into six.

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The Victoria local of the I.W.A. will hold its annual meeting Jan. 6. In addition to naming local officers, it will select its delegation for attending the B.C. District meeting scheduled for Vancouver, Jan. 29 to Feb. 1.

Lost In Fog Plane Lands

LONDON, Dec. 13 (AP)—A pea soup fog at London airport swallowed up an Air France plane after it landed from Paris Wednesday night—and no one could find it or its 39 passengers for two hours.

The plane landed when visibility was still at 600 yards. Within seconds a fog blanket reduced visibility to 15 yards and the pilot was ordered to stay put on the taxi-way.

Then for two hours five search parties in coaches, vans and tractors and even an airport fire truck tried to find the plane.

The firetruck driver, using a walkie-talkie, two-way radio, finally found the plane and guided the coaches in to carry off the passengers.

Surplus Seen For Oak Bay, Wilson Claims

A surplus of receipts over expenditures was predicted for this year by Councillor R. B. Wilson, chairman of the finance committee, at the annual Oak Bay public meeting held at Oak Bay High School Wednesday.

Reeve P. A. Gibbs and members of the council, all elected by acclamation, presented reports covering the operations of various departments. There were 62 persons present.

Councillor F. A. Robinson, chairman of the transportation committee, warned Oak Bay residents that bus fares may be boosted next year by the B.C. Electric due to increased transportation costs.

"Transportation, like all other business and industry, is suffering from high costs and increased demands," he said. "Certain adjustments either in service or fare structure are inevitable in 1952."

Oak Bay's fire department this year answered a total of 132 fire calls. The total fire loss was only $5,052 as against a fire loss of $6,000 for the year 1950, Jack Ruttan, chairman of the fire committee, reported.

Other reports were made by J. V. Johnson, chairman of the works committee; Fred Norris, chairman of parks; Humphrey Golby and J. A. de Bourcier, school trustees.

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Tasty Christmas Nuts

Walnuts ____lb. 53¢ Pecan Nuts __lb. 63¢
Brazil Nuts __lb. 49¢ Almonds ____lb. 43¢
Filberts ____lb. 35¢ Mixed Nuts __lb. 47¢
Mandarin Oranges Box__ 1 29 lb.___ 16¢
Delicious Apples ____2 lbs. 29¢
Junior box . . . . . 2.59 40-lb. box 4.95
Chinese Ginger Spicy ginger to eat or cook with. 1-lb. crock____ 1 15
2-lb. crock 2.15

Navel Oranges Juicy California oranges, No. 220. Doz. 45¢
Okanagan Pears Delicious fancy Anjou__ 2 lbs. 25¢
Cranberries 1-lb. pkg. 35¢

Imported Cheeses!

From Denmark
Port Salut, lb. 69¢ Banquet, lb.__69¢
Nokkelist, lb. 69¢ Gouda, lb.____60¢
Samso, lb. ___69¢ Taffel, lb.____69¢
Tilset, lb. ___69¢ Blue, lb. ____79¢
Gorgonzola, lb. ____79¢

From Italy
Gorgonzola, lb. ____92¢
Prevolone, lb. ____98¢
Prevellette, lb. ____98¢

From France
Roquefort, lb. ____90¢

From Holland
Edam, lb. ____68¢
Gouda, lb. ____68¢

From Norway Blue, lb.__90¢
Gjetost, ½ lb. 45¢ Primost, ½ lb. 30¢

From Switzerland
Assorted packets, each____55¢
Sweetie, ½ lb. ____30¢
Gruyere, lb. ____1.20
Geska (Sap Sago), each____25¢

German Style
Beer Kasse, lb.____90¢
Wunderbar, lb. ____90¢

From Finland
Gruyere, packet ____54¢

BAY Foods, Lower Main Floor

Christmas Holly

There's still time to send packages of holly to your friends in Canada. Boxes mailed direct. Boxes at____1.50 and 2.25

BAY Holly Booth, Street Floor

Christmas Cake Supplies

Austarlian Sultanas, 1 lb. 25c; 2 lbs. 49c
Australian Currants, 1-lb. pkg. ____23c
California Zanta Currants, 11-oz. pkg.___19c
Sunmaid Seeded Raisins, 15-oz. ____28c
Whole Mixed Peel, lb. ____45c
Glace Pineapple, twins, pkg. ____20c
Glace Cherries, 8-oz. pkg. ____35c
Maraschino Cherries, 6-oz. bottle ____30c
Dates, 1-lb. Cello pkg. ____28c
Saxonia Crystallized Ginger, 7-oz. ____45c
Blanched Almonds, 8-oz. ____75c
English Ground Almonds, 8-oz. ____75c
Shelled Walnuts, 8-oz. ____43c
Shelled Almonds, 8-oz. ____45c

Refreshing Canned Juices

Libby's Pineapple—
20-oz. tin ____2 for 29c
48-oz. tin ____32c

Blend O'Gold Blended Juice—
20-oz. tin ____2 for 29c
48-oz. tin ____31c

Libby's Orange Juice—
20-oz. tin ____19c
48-oz. tin ____39c

Imperial Valley Grapefruit—
20-oz. tin ____2 for 23c

Sunripe Apple Juice—Clear
20-oz. tin ____2 for 27c
48-oz. tin ____30c

BAY Foods, Lower Main Floor

Spicy Mincemeat

Nabob—
16-oz. jar____34c
24-oz. jar____44c

LIBBY'S—
28-oz. tin ____47c

McCOLL'S—
24-oz. jar ____45c

MAPLE LEAF—
28-oz. jar ____48c
28-oz. tin____48c

STAFFORD'S FANCY—
20-oz. jar ____49c

Canned Vegetables . . .

Aylmer Brand Peas
Sieve 1, 15-oz. tin ____23c
Sieve 2, 15-oz. tin ____22c
Sieve 3, 15-oz. tin ____20c
Sieve 5, 15-oz. tin ____16c

Aylmer Fancy Corn
15-oz. tin ____17c

Aylmer Diced Beets
15-oz. tin ____11c

Del Monte Fruit
Apricots— 28-oz. tin ____43c
Peaches— 28-oz. tin ____42c
Whole Figs— 28-oz. jar ____57c
Spiced Peaches— 28-oz. jar ____49c
Fruit Cocktail— 20-oz. tin ____37c
Fruit Cocktail— 28-oz. tin ____45c

Aylmer Wax Beans
15-oz. tin ____21c

Aylmer Asparagus
Green tips, 12-oz. tin__42c

Royal City Beans
Size 3, 15-oz. tin____20c

Royal City Peas, And Carrots
15-oz. tin ____16c

Libby's Fruit
Pears— 28-oz. tin ____54c
Fruit Salad— 28-oz. jar ____55c
Grapefruit—Orange sections, 20-oz. tin ____34c
Sliced Pineapple— 20-oz. tin ____37c
Sliced Pineapple— 28-oz. tin ____42c
Crushed Pineapple— 20-oz. tin ____32c
Peaches— 28-oz. tin ____42c

Plump, Quality Turkeys For Christmas Tables!

Place your order now for best selection of our quality turkeys. We'll clean and deliver when required.

BAY Meats, Lower Main Floor

Assorted English Biscuits
Assortment of English biscuits in fancy tins. Peek Freans, Huntley & Palmer, McFarlane & Land, Grey & Dunn, McVittie & Price.

Flavorful Plum Puddings
Cross & Blackwell, 1-lb. tin ____60c
Mrs. Peek's— 2-lb. tin____1.25
Spring Hill— 24-oz. tin ____73c

Christmas Stockings!
Caley's Christmas stockings and novelties to add to your holiday fun and amusement.

Pretty Canadian Crackers
69c 89c 1.35 1.65
2.15 and 2.95 per box

Australian Fruit Cake
1-lb. tin____59c 3-lb. box____1.39

Christmas Gifts In Shoes and Slippers

Men's Fine English Oxfords $7.99

Quality leather oxfords in bluchers, balmorals and semi-brogues. Leather soles and heels, Goodyear welts. Sizes 7 to 12, C and D collectively.

Men's Slippers, Romeo or Zipper

An ideal gift for the man of the house! Romeo or zipper front slippers with solid leather soles and heels. Long-wearing and comfortable. Brown only, sizes 6 to 11. Pair ____ 4.89

BAY Men's and Boys' Shoes, Street Floor

Men's Zipper Front Christmas Slippers

Every man appreciates a comfortable pair of slippers! Soft leather uppers, padded leather soles and heels, fleece lined. Brown and Wine, sizes 6 to 11. Pair ___ 4.50

Opera Slippers!

Men's comfortable opera slippers with soft leather uppers, padded leather soles and heels and warm lining. Brown only, sizes 6 to 11. Pair____ 3.98

Boys' Gift Slippers

Smart slippers for boys in Romeo or zipper front styles. Romeo in Wine; zipper front in Brown. Padded soles and heels. Sizes 1-5. Pair ____ 3.98

BAY Men's Shoes, Street Floor

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Wonderful gift for any member of the family! . . . Mother, Father, Sister, Brother!

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A tasty gift—assorted creams, chocolates and jellies that will melt in your mouth. Sure to please every member of the family.
1 lb. box ..... 85¢

3-lb. Christmas Mix

A bright silver pail packed with wonderful Christmas candy. Wonderful gift for the kiddies.
3 lb. pail 1.39

Peppermint Canes!

Delicious candy canes in an attractive box. Red and white stripe. 6 to a box, each ..... 30¢
2 boxes 59¢

Chocolate Parfait!

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English Marzipan!

Special Purchase! Christmas time treat for all the family! . . . Fresh and tasty! Lb. ..... 59¢

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"Black Magic" by Rowntree's! Dark chocolate . . . smooth and creamy! 1 lb. 1.65
½ lb. ..... 85¢

BAY Candies, Street Floor

Clearance of Quality Winter Coats and Suits

Women's Suits

20 Reg. $35. Each ... $25!
30 Reg. 39.75. Each .. $35!
40 Reg. 49.75 to 59.75 Each ..... $45!

Wonderful quality . . . wonderful savings in these suits of flannel . . . gabardine . . . worsted and all-wool fabrics! . . . Tailored and dressy styles to see you through the Christmas season . . . the New Year. Black, Grey, Wine, Brown, Green, Blue. In sizes 12 to 20.

100 Fall Coats

35 Reg. $35. Each $25
35 Reg. 39.75. Each $35
30 Reg. 49.75 to 59.75 Each $45

Tweeds, broadcloths, polos, velours and worsteds in casual and dressy styles, all from higher priced lines. Plain shades of Brown, Black, Green, Wine, Red, Grey and Blue.

BAY Women's Coats and Suits, Second Floor

Quality Rayon Crepe Slips!

Give her a gift of tailored slips: subs from a line by a well-known maker.

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Choose from three styles in beautifully fashioned, perfectly tailored rayon crepe slips. Slight flaws will not impair appearance or long wearing quality. In white only, size range from 32-40.

Rayon Crepe Slips White and Pastels

Special Purchase! Subs of a well-known line! Dainty slips . . . perfect for gift giving! Lace trimmed at bodice and hem! 32-44. Each 2.79

Soft Nylon Gowns In Pastel Shades

Enchanting Nylon gowns with luxurious frill of permanently pleated nylon at neck . . . Pleated skirt front. Coral, Blue, White. 32-42. Each 12.95

Pink and White Slips of Nylon!

Special Purchase! Subs of a well-known maker! Perfect fit . . . won't ride up . . . Dainty-daisy applique at bodice! 32-42. Each 4.87

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Neat, trim little briefs . . . cuffed at leg . . . smooth fitting, wash and dry in little time! S.M.L. ..... 4 for $1

BAY Lingerie, Second Floor

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Touched by magic . . . beautifully styled . . . Beauty boxes filled with the famous Elizabeth Arden Essentials for Loveliness . . . each so beautiful . . . so useful and for a very special name on your gift list!

Blue Grass Hand Lotion and Blue Grass Bath Mitt 2.90
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BAY Toiletries, Street Floor

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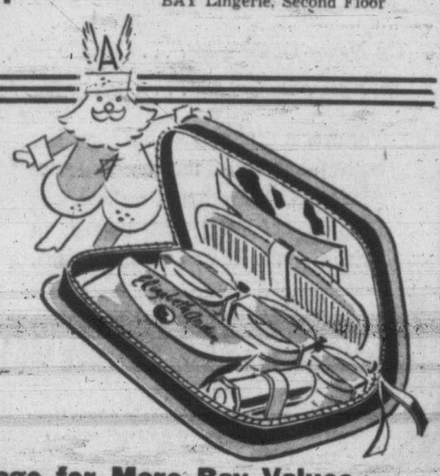

Turn the Page for More Bay Values

Victoria Daily Times

VICTORIA, B.C., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1951

Voters Lineup Early To Cast Ballots

No "Johnny-come-latelys" here. They lined up at Central polling station at Public Market today before doors opened to cast ballots in civic election. They were among record number of early voters. Election followed one of city's most colorful mayoral campaigns. From left: H. K. Bate, Harold Diggon, George Gregory, Carl Breitschmid, Mrs. G. F. Hawthorne, Mr. Hawthorne, Mrs. L. Little, Mrs. L. A. Young, Mr. Young. To right: These two attractive young women stamped their feet and blew on cold hands as they waited in crisp morning air. Left: Mrs. Rhoda Duncan, 3122 Rutledge; Mrs. Jean Blyth, 823 Reed. Far right: This was photographer Irving Strickland's camera-eye view of voters as they stood in polling booths marking ballots. (Times photos.)

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Civil defense co-ordinator Leonard G. Hatcher said today he will press for "thousands more volunteers" here in the New Year.

"We want to increase our classes and I can use all the volunteers I can get," he said.

Meanwhile, the first civil defense classes for residential areas are being completed in Oak Bay.

About 80 Oak Bay residents will finish off lectures next Tuesday night on air raid shelters, radio-activity, fire-fighting and chemical warfare to round out their course.

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Annual Christmas smoker of ie 75th (B.C.) H.A.A. Regt., .C.A., (Reserve Army) will be eld at Bay Street Armories on ie evening of Dec. 22.

Party is being arranged by the 5 Battery committee composed Lieut. William Johnston, Bdr. ay, L/Bdr. R. J. Browne and nr. D. D. McDonald.

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Vehicle damage was estimated at $1,000 but six occupants of two cars in collision on the Island Highway escaped with a shake-up Wednesday evening.

R.C.M.P. Highway Patrol reported the cars were driven by George Lamb, Happy Valley postmaster, and William A. Snyder, 817 Fort. Collision occurred about a half-mile south of the Thetis Lake turnoff.

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City Hall was quiet today . . . ven the mail hadn't been pened.

But it was quite alright. City erk Frank Hunter who receives alk of the mail addressed to the ty was busy in his other capaty as returning officer for the vic election at the Public arket.

So was his deputy, Percy 'right, who is not only assistant ty clerk but deputy returning ficer.

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A coroner's jury today was adjourned after viewing the body of a traffic accident victim.

The jury, under Coroner E. C. Hart, was adjourned to Dec. 21 at 10 in the morning at McCall Bros. Funeral Home to probe the death of Mrs. Jean Taylor, Ladysmith.

She died from injuries suffered in a two-car collision last Friday afternoon on the Gorge Road hill west of Harriet Road.

Leslie Marlow, 1303 Yates, driver of the other car, has been charged with manslaughter by Saanich police.

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Condition "good" was the word om St. Joseph's Hospital atndants today in regard to inred truck driver Albert King, lder Logging Co. King suffred elbow and rib injuries Wedesday when the heavy truck he as driving down a Sooke mounin road overturned. He was ought to hospital by the Vicria Ambulance Service.

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United Nations' work in Burma as described to members of the ictoria Branch of the Overseas eague recently by Col. F. T. airey, deputy minister of educaon.

Col. Fairey, who spent six onths in that country under the uspices of UNESCO, said splend work was being done by three fferent U.N. departments there.

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It's getting to be a common ght on the city streets these ays. Houses have gone mobile.

It took Heaney's moving men our hours to do it, but by the oon hour today they had transorted a 69x24-foot hut from yee Camp to its new position in ie 700 block of Market Street.

Three of the huts will be placed here and converted to house ast Indian families.

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Esquimalt ratepayers didn't eed a police officer to keep eder at a pre-election meeting uesday night.

G. K. Gammon, chairman of ie meeting, told the audience he ad asked council to post a conable outside the door in case ie meeting got out of hand.

But if the policeman was there, obody noticed him and there as little need for re-inforcements.

Temperatures will drop to a predicted 25 degrees tonight in some outlying areas, weatherman William Mackie said today.

Cold air crossing the coast from the interior will bring sunny days and clear, cold nights, he said. This condition will prevail for the next day or so.

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Arrangements for night illumination of Christmas windows at S. J. Willis Junior High School are now being made by the principal, Bernard Gillie.

By turning off Topaz Avenue, motorists can drive right around the building, he said.

The colored windows, like stained glass in appearance, illustrate the Nativity, Visit of the Magi, and announcement of Christ's birth. Work was done by students as an art project.

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Problem of lengthy campaign speeches was solved neatly and accurately at Tuesday night's Esquimalt pre-election meeting.

G. K. Sammon, meeting chairman and president of Esquimalt Ratepayers' Association, used a loud time clock to tick off the minutes allowed each candidate.

It worked perfectly — the clock's sharp ringing had candidates off the platform in jig time.

Dockyard Firemen Giving Yule Party

Christmas party will be held t H.M.C. Dockyard during the fternoon of Sunday, Dec. 23, for amilies of members of the Dockard Fire Department. Enterainment and gifts will be proided.

Dockyard Fire Chief Lt.-Cmdr. . D. Crowther has donated a fire rick, model size, and doll to go o one lucky boy and girl.

REEVE QUERIED ON PRESS BAN

An Esquimalt ratepayer Tuesday night demanded to know why the press was threatened with expulsion from a September 24 Esquimalt council meeting.

Replied Reeve A. I. Thomas, during the pre-election meeting in the Boilermakers' Hall:

"I asked them not to report a certain matter out of courtesy to the reeve. They refused; so I said they would have to get out or I would phone their bosses and ask that they send down two other reporters."

Pickles Gives Sharp Answer To His Critic

Reeve Sydney Pickles, of Central Saanich, trustee candidate for the District 63 School Board, today had the sharp, hot answer to charges of suppression made by Percy Thorp, retiring chairman of the board.

Thorp claimed that he was "muzzled" when he tried to correct a statement by Pickles, that Pickles was in error in an election speech reference to grade schools, and that Pickles was "derelict in his duty" by not permitting school discussion at election meetings.

"Monday night at a meeting in Brentwood I accepted Thorp's remark that I was wrong in saying some schools do not carry children to Grade Six," Pickles said.

"I investigated and found the McTavish Road, Ann Sansbury and Deep Cove Schools do not take children to the sixth grade. I then said Tuesday night at Keating they were transferred to other schools prior to reaching that grade."

"The 'muzzling' charge also is ridiculous. At the Keating meeting the chairman, R. A. Sansbury, asked the audience if it wished further discussion of the school question. The crowd said 'no' and the meeting adjourned."

"I can only attribute this astonishingly inaccurate statement of Thorp's to the fact that I defeated him in election for reeve in January, and that he is sponsoring a trustee candidate against me," Pickles said.

BARREL ROOF JOKE TAKEN WRONGLY, FREEDMAN SAYS

Philip B. Freedman, aldermanic candidate, today threatened suit against The Victoria Daily Times for what he claimed was misquotation of a remark he made during an election meeting Tuesday night.

When a woman in the audience asked Freedman if he thought the Arena roof would collapse during an earthquake, Freedman was reported as replying:

"No, but I would like to see a barrel roof collapse over that City Hall."

Freedman claims that was not the purport of his remark at all.

What he did say, Freedman claims, was: "No. And the only earthquakes in Victoria are going to be in the City Council. Maybe they ought to have the Arena barrel roof there" (i.e., to protect them against earthquakes).

Freedman's jocular remark drew loud laughter at the time from the Sirocco Club audience, many of whom had the same impression as The Times reporter that he was drawing a word picture of the barrel roof caving in on the City Council.

FILLS REPLACE BRIDGES

Island Railway Pushes Big Construction Jobs

The largest of a series of bridge replacements with earth fills is now half-way completed on the C.N.R. line between Victoria and Cowichan Lake.

Ross Wilkinson, division engineer in charge of the project, said today the job near Saseenos will cost about $50,000 when finished.

The timber structure being covered is 325 feet long and 70 feet high at one point. A total of 44,000 yards of material will be used to bring the fill up to grade.

To make the fill a new pit was opened, and 800 feet of road built beside the track to accommodate earth-moving machinery. Three carryalls are on the job, and shortly a bulldozer will begin spreading the material between the bridge supports.

When it is built to within 15 feet of the track, then railway equipment will be used to finish the job. There will be no interruption of traffic.

One of the largest single portions of the whole job was the building of a concrete culvert 224 feet long, with two 30-degree angles and an inside diameter of six feet. A total of 400 yards of ready-mixed concrete was hauled from Victoria for the job.

Skylight Burglars Confess

Three Sailors Held In Series Of Raids

Victoria's "skylight" robbery gang has been smashed.

This was conclusively proven today in city police court when the three young sailors pleaded guilty to eight city shop-breakings and thefts dating mostly through October and November.

Charged were Brian J. Stevenson, Robert Lacey and Jack Robert Stone, all between 18 and 19, serving with the Royal Canadian Navy here.

Each elected trial before Magistrate A. I. Thomas.

Their arrests concluded one of the most intensive two-week investigations conducted by detectives and uniform policemen, under the direction of Chief John Blackstock and his deputy, Harry Mercer.

The chief has revealed that a chance remark heard by Constable Albert H. Wells, one of the newer members of the force, working in Chinatown, provided the lead that enabled Detectives Norman Bath and Deans Blackstock to make arrests.

FOLLOWED PATTERN

Nearly all premises were broken into by the same method —by removing panes of glass from skylights.

Magistrate Thomas consented to City Prosecutor James J. Proudfoot's request that all three be remanded to Monday before evidence is given the court.

The prosecutor indicated the matter was being looked into further by police. It is understood that detectives are checking other break-ins to see if they can be attributed to the three accused.

Police indicate that a considerable amount of money was netted in the over-all activities of the skylight burglars. Some property stolen in the break-ins has been recovered.

ALL ADMIT THEFTS

All three admitted breaking into the clothing store of O. H. Dorman, 1328 Douglas. Lacey and Stevenson pleaded guilty to joint charges of breaking into and robbing the following places:

Shops of Elizabeth Cowie at 1412 Douglas, and Julia Hibbert at 890 Fort; Milton King's real estate offices at 1233 Government; Molly's Cake Shop, 615 Yates; Super Foods Ltd., 1318 Blanshard, and Pacific Glass Ltd., 932 Pandora.

Stone and Lacey confessed to the entry and robbery of Les Palmer Ltd. store at 714 View.

Colonist Newswoman, June Reynolds, Dies

Daily Colonist editorial employee Mrs. June Reynolds, 28, died suddenly Wednesday evening in her home at 765 Hillside.

Mrs. Reynolds worked on several Canadian daily newspapers before going to the Colonist about two months ago.

She is survived by her husband, Mac Reynolds, Vancouver; parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McFeeley, Seaview, Qualicum, and a brother and a sister. Funeral arrangements are pending.

LITTLE GIRLS JOIN CLASSES IN CIVIL DEFENSE TRAINING

Everyone is getting into the civil defense act here.

And a recent class to turn up came as a distinct "surprise" to defense co-ordinator Leonard Hatcher. Expecting a group of boys from the St. John Ambulance cadet unit, he was greeted instead by a class of little girls.

But the little girls took the course seriously—they will finish off the lectures Friday afternoon at 4 with a flash-bomb demonstration.

For co-ordinator Hatcher, it's more the merrier . . . despite the youth of his volunteers.

TASTES BRINY PACIFIC

Young Sailor Becomes Real 'Salt' In Hurry

By DAVE STOCK

Ordinary Seaman Fred Gilson has a new respect for naval superstitions.

The 18-year-old Toronto sailor threw caution to the wind when he joined the navy last April on Friday 13th. He laughed at those who suggested it might be safer to wait a couple of days.

He's wondering now if his friends didn't know what they were talking about. On his first cruise—aboard the cruiser Ontario—Gilson fell overboard.

He told of the incident when the Ontario reached her home port of Esquimalt today.

"I was scrubbing down one of the forward gun turrets," he explained. "And I just fell."

AT 17 KNOTS

It happened last week when the cruiser was steaming northward up the coast of Mexico. The ship was making 17 knots at the time.

Although he fell more than 20 feet, he wasn't injured.

"The water was nice and warm," the young seaman confided with a grin.

Capt. E. P. Tisdall, commanding officer of the Ontario, admitted the Gilson incident was the highlight of the ship's voyage from Halifax to home. The captain was pleased with the efficient way in which the rescue was carried out.

QUICK ACTION

"He was in a life belt in 30 seconds," the captain declared. "We stopped and had a boat away in less than four minutes. Within five minutes he was back aboard."

The captain said it was fortunate there were no sharks around at the time.

Gilson has taken quite a ribbing from his mess mates since his unscheduled dunking, but today when newsmen sought out the young sailor they reviewed their friend in a new light.

"How do you like that," one seaman blurted out. "Our boy Freddy's made himself famous."

"Next time out I'll fall overboard," another sailor cracked. "Then maybe I'll get my 'pitcher' in the paper."

Chinatown Land Ownership Argued In Supreme Court

The ownership of a parcel of land in Victoria's Chinatown was the subject of litigation in Supreme Court today.

Quan Yuen Hon and Raymond Kwan, executors of the estate of Jessie Quan, who died here on Sept. 17, 1949, leaving estate of about $40,000, were seeking the return of some Johnson Street property from Lee Chee of Victoria.

The plaintiffs claim Chee illegally obtained the property, which formerly belonged to Jessie Quan. They allege that the defendant forged a document in order to obtain the land.

Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane is presiding. D. J. McAlpine, of Vancouver, is acting as counsel for the plaintiffs. Joseph McKenna, K.C., is acting for the defendant.

As a result of a fall aboard the British freighter Walvis Bay on Wednesday, seaman Edward Tebutt, 18, underwent X-ray examination today at St. Joseph's Hospital for undetermined injuries.

VOLUNTEERS SHY

Blood Donors Reluctant, Officials Say

Latest appeal for blood has fallen below expectations, a Red Cross official said today.

To date in the four-day clinic which closes tonight at 9.30 only 500 pints have been given. At least 750 were expected.

"We can only get blood from human beings," one official said today. "If people do not come forward we just don't get the blood."

"If we had a disaster and blood was needed, the Red Cross would be blamed for not having it on hand," the official said. "Yet we have done everything possible to impress this need upon the people."

Giving blood is painless and causes no after-effects if the simple instructions given each donor are followed, and the service is free to everyone in need.

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Charge Laid After Death

Police Say Car Mounted Sidewalk, Hit Pole When Little Girl Tricycle Rider Killed

Driver of a car that killed a child Wednesday evening was charged and then remanded today in city police court.

Charged with dangerous driving was Frederick S. Sexton, 24, of 1561 Gladstone.

Dead is pretty little Victoria Elizabeth Fisher, 3½, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fisher, 1541 Gladstone.

BABY FISHER
. . . life snuffed out

She was Victoria's sixth fatal accident victim of the year.

Prosecutor James J. Proudfoot asked for an adjournment in the case until Tuesday "as the matter is still being investigated by the police."

Gordon Poupore appeared as counsel for Sexton.

The girl was riding her tricycle on the sidewalk of Gladstone at about 4 when the accident occurred, police believe.

ALONG SIDEWALK

Police report says Sexton's car mounted the south curb—he was proceeding east on Gladstone—and went for 150 feet along the sidewalk.

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Spirit Of Christmas Is Often Lost In Confusion

By PENNY SAVER

I was reading somewhere the other day that "Christmas is what you make it."

How true!"

Mothers and housewives should try and keep that little thought tucked away in their minds and remember it when they are just about at their wits' end during the confusion of preparing for the Christmas season.

It is so easy to lose sight of the spirit of Christmas and if you do, it is only natural that the whole family will sense it and lose it also.

So let's make this a wonderful Christmas by sticking to a few early resolutions.

We won't complain about the rush and confusion and how tired we are and how we finally bought something for so-and-so, thank goodness! Instead, we'll go about the business of getting ready for Christmas in a happy, cheerful and light-hearted frame of mind.

We won't accept more invitations than we can manage. Parents who do nothing but go to parties for a week before Christmas and a week after just haven't the time or energy or peace of mind to make home as Christmasy as they should for their children.

We won't be so extravagant in our buying that all Dad can think of on Christmas morning are all those bills he still has to face.

We won't send out a stack of printed cards to a lot of people we don't even care about and decide we haven't time to write the few warm-hearted notes we should write to real friends.

We will find time to take even the younger children Christmas shopping so that they can know the real joy of giving.

But most important of all, of course, we won't forget the real meaning of Christmas or let our families forget.

Christmas in each home is what the women make it. This year make it a wonderfully joyous day.

It is really very busy. And in a lot of ways careful thought and careful buying will add to the enjoyment you and the rest of the family get from the season.

There is still a little time left. Don't jump at the first thing you see for sale. Time isn't that short and your money may be even shorter, so in the long run you will be wiser—and happier—if you think before you buy!

WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Just Be Glad You're Tall; Don't Be Self-Conscious

Every once in a while I write a column about tall girls and women because I receive so many letters from them. The writer of the letter before me is only 5 feet 6 inches tall and considers her height a handicap.

She says, "I am very self-conscious of my height and wear low heels. My husband wants me to wear high heels but I feel like a horse in them."

If you are only 5 feet 6 inches tall you shouldn't even give your height a thought and do not need rules for looking shorter. That is a very attractive height. Most of the letters come from women much taller, 5 feet 8 or 9 or 10 inches tall; or more.

Remember that there are really only two factors which might make above-average-height in a woman a handicap. The first is her own self-consciousness about her stature. Because of this she may slump rather than develop the regal carriage which makes her stunning. This same self-consciousness may make her shy and affect her personality.

The second factor is the fact that some men do not like to date girls who are taller than they are. The remedy for this is to wait for an attractive taller man (they are attractive) or wear low-heeled shoes out of consideration for them. This is especially advisable when going to dances.

The costumes of the taller woman should have horizontal rather than vertical lines and trimmings. Her skirts should not be extremely short but can be worn a little shorter than the shorter woman's. She should not wear tall hats or fitted coats. The short box coat cuts her height and is good style now. She can carry a big pocketbook.

Remember that models are 5 feet, 8 inches or taller because they wear clothes with such style.

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Sift together flour, salt, soda and spices. Add prunes and cranberries. Combine molasses and water, and stir into first mixture, blending well. Turn into greased 1½-quart mold (a 1-pound coffee can will do), cover closely and place in kettle with boiling water to half the depth of mold. Cover and steam 1 hour. Serve hot with following sauce:

Creamy Sauce—Heat together ½ cup table cream, 1 cup granulated sugar and ½ cup butter or margarine. Blend in ½ teaspoon vanilla extract. Serve warm. Serves 6 to 8.

Blind Citizens At Government House

Among guests at the annual tea hour reception Wednesday afternoon were Mrs. Janet Watson, Mrs. G. Griffith and Mr. and Mrs. H. Woodfield, seated, left to right; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Crichton and Mr. and Mrs. R. Patrick, standing.

Sunshine streaming through the long windows of the ballroom at Government House yesterday afternoon added brilliance to gold and crimson walls and hangings, the crystal chandeliers and the mirrored walls, to create a perfect setting for the 23rd annual reception and tea for blind citizens of Victoria.

Pale gold chrysanthemums were arranged on the tables, which filled the spacious room.

At the entrance to the ballroom the guests who numbered 80 to 100 more than in former years, were presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Wallace. Cmdr. Hew Paterson, Lt.-Col. R. D. Travis, and Miss Ruth MacLean were in attendance.

At the head table with His Honor and Mrs. Wallace were Capt. M. C. Robinson, M.B.E., national director of the institute for western Canada, Mrs. Robinson, the Hon. W. T. Straith and Mrs. Straith, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Brettell, Mrs. H. Weldon, Capt. and Mrs. R. A. Pennington and Mr. and Mrs. R. Bialuski.

Capt. Robinson gave a brief address to the gathering and paid special tribute to the work done by Mr. Brettell.

A program of Christmas songs was given by the Elizabethan singers, directed by Mr. Dudley Wickett. Those taking part were Phyllis Townsend, Grace Adams, Catherine Denison, Florence Smith, Robert Husband, Pierre Timp, Jack Townsend and Grace Timp.

Mrs. Weldon, president of the Women's Auxiliary, expressed the vote of thanks to His Honor and Mrs. Wallace on behalf of the institute and blind persons of Victoria.

Mrs. A. W. Hunt was in charge of transportation and other members of the auxiliary assisting were Mrs. C. F. Armstrong, Mrs. J. L. Clay, Mrs. E. Reid, Mrs. R. H. B. Ker, Mrs. J. C. I. Edwards, Mrs. J. Macdonald, Mrs. E. Henderson, Mrs. J. W. Ruggles, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. E. Jones, Mrs. W. B. Leach, Mrs. A. F. Nation, Misses Ruth Jones, L. Magrath and Innes Bodwell.

Club Women's News

Speakers — George Heinekey and Colin Mouat addressed a recent meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Saanich Island Branch, Canadian Legion. Mrs. C. Mouat presided and gave an account of the executive meeting in Vancouver. There is a balance of $122.79. Two parcels have been sent to Salt Spring boys in Korea and clothing has been sent overseas. Mrs. J. H. Deyell reported $11.50 realized from a coffee stall. Another coffee stall will be held Saturday, convened by Mrs. Deyell and Mrs. R. Sharpe. More than $70 was raised by arranging and catering for veterans' dinner.

Gifts—Donations to buy Christmas gifts for children of the Protestant Orphanage have been received from members and friends, it was announced at a recent meeting of the Victoria Dental Assistants' Association held at the home of Miss A. Pipes. Miss J. Sisson, 2098 Oak Bay Avenue, is receiving further contributions.

Raise $75 — Sooke Women's Auxiliary to M.S.C.C. of Holy Trinity Church realized more than $75 at a bazaar and tea held recently in Sooke Community Hall. Mrs. E. G. Hooper, president, and Rev. H. M. Bolton welcomed guests. Convening stalls of needlework, weaving, knitted articles and toys were Mesdames W. C. Brooks and H. P. W. Clowes and Miss Barbara Clowes. Mrs. Jack Goldie was in charge of candy. Presiding at tea tables, decorated in the Christmas motif, were Mesdames F. L. Paddon, Eric Bernard, Kenneth Cains, D. J. DeRochie and Miss Louise Hooper.

CLUB CALENDAR

Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., Friday at 2 at headquarters.

Royal Bridge Chapter, I.O.D.E., at home of Mrs. R. J. Clarke, 2939 Westdowne, tonight at 8.

Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter, I.O.D.E., Christmas party, headquarters, Wednesday, at 2.30 o'clock. Members to invite guests and take gifts.

Christ Church Cathedral Women's Parish Guild, Friday at 2.30. Nomination of officers.

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An illuminated Christmas tree added to the seasonal gaiety Wednesday afternoon, in K. of P. Hall, when Island Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters, held their bazaar and tea.

Miss Vera Mesher, grand junior, introduced Hon. Nancy Hodges, who officially opened the affair. Proceeds amounted to more than $300.

Sprays of mauve chrysanthemums decorated the many tea tables and blue candles completed a festive centrepiece on the lace-covered head table.

Seated there were Mrs. Hodges; Mrs. Vera Barry, convener; Miss Mesher; Mrs. Olive Curtis, who represented royal adviser and district deputy grand chief, Mrs. Lucy Keiser, and Miss Doreen Anderson, royal princess.

Those convening stalls were Mesdames Susan Westgate and Jean Rhodes, candy; Mesdames G. White and W. McKay, home cooking; Mrs. E. Cummins, grocery contest; Mesdames M. Carver and M. Unwin, Christmas cards and penny sale; Mesdames B. Marshall and E. Peck, fruits and vegetables; Mesdames H. Johnson and E. Dale, dolls and novelties; Mesdames D. Dodd and A. Tasker, fancywork; Mrs. D. Lightfoot, tablecloth contest; Mrs. M. Stanley, knitted articles; Mesdames A. Heath and C. Mullen, aprons.

Mrs. D. Elliott sold tea tickets.

Assisting with the tea were Mesdames W. McKay, F. Middleton, A. Banks, J. Kerfoot, E. Galloway, S. Hawkins, E. Green, E. MacDonald and A. O'Brien.

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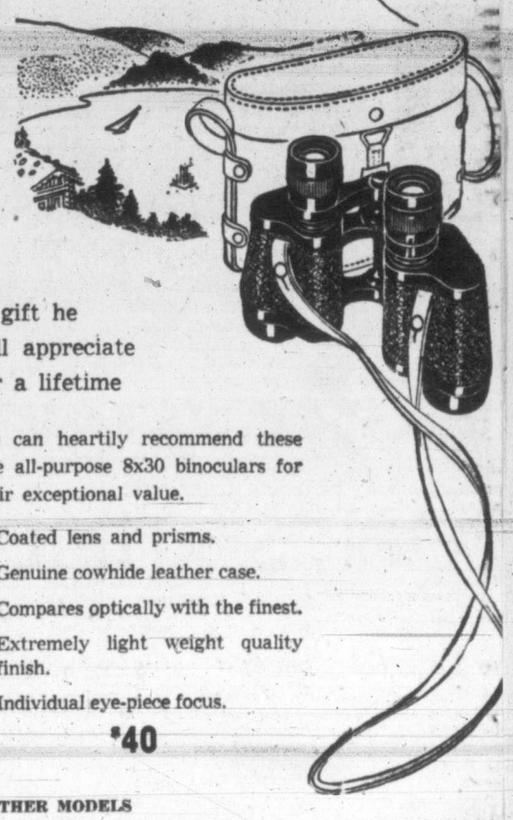

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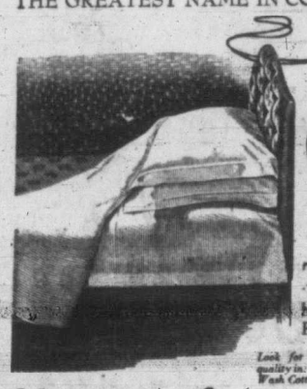

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Between Ourselves

By ELIZABETH FORBES

It was in a mid-town coffee shop that two women, loaded with xcels, sat down beside me.

The one nearest me heaved a sigh of relief. "My! It's good to t for a minute!" she said to her friend.

"Mmm! Your right!" said the second woman, "a smoke and a) of coffee will help a lot right now."

They lighted cigarettes, stirred their coffee, sipped it with dent pleasure and for a few moments sat without saying a word.

"Bessie"

Then, as they relaxed, they began to talk. Bits of sentences floated through the cigarette smoke.

"Well, that cleans up the kids," said the first woman. "I got all their presents. The old man's too!"

"Me, too!" said the other woman. "Finished the last one this afternoon."

There was another few moment's silence. The smoke got thicker and the coffee disappeared.

"Still got the old folks, though," said the first woman. "The grandparents, you know."

The second woman waved her cigarette wildly.

"Do I know? You can bet I do! My old man's father lives h us.

"He's got everything now. He doesn't wear his clothes out like kids. He's got socks, handkerchiefs, ties. He doesn't use half them."

"The only thing left to do is to get them something to eat something to drink. And there's always cigarettes—if they oke."

The first woman nodded her agreement.

"Guess they don't need much else, anyway," she said.

The coffee cups were emptied and the parcels were picked up.

Suddenly the second woman looked wildly at her companion.

"Just thought of something," she said, "The old boy had a thday the end of last month. We gave him tobacco and some ng to drink then. And he is so careful with both smoking and nking, he'll still have most of the stuff at Christmas. Now at am I going to do?"

"I can't imagine," said the first woman, "but something will n up. It always does. Let's get home. I want to take my es off!"

As the cigarette smoke slowly disappeared, I thought of all families in this city who will have "the grandparents" with m at Christmas.

he Case For The 'Old Folks'

And while I know the woman who said, "they have everyng," and "they don't wear half the things they have now," is bably right. I couldn't help wondering what the grandparents uld say in answer to that.

I think they might say that they like to get real Christmas sents. Not something to eat, drink or smoke.

They might also tell you the gifts needn't be big. Nor do they d to be expensive.

But I think they might like an element of surprise in their sents. A package, no matter how small, that old fingers could nch and prod before it was opened. And not be able to guess at was inside.

I think they might assure you that they don't mind getting re socks, ties or handkerchiefs. But they hope if you give m any of those things that they won't be the practical varieties.

After all, the grandparents read newspapers and magazines. ey know what's new and different. And they are quite aware t there are gay and frivolous things in this modern world.

And they may be hoping someone will give them something t a little frivolous this Christmas.

A present, no matter how small, that shows there has been bit of thought and a bit of imagination in its selection. Then grandparents might tell you they will know they are wanted l loved.

F PERSONAL INTEREST

lan Extensive Trip

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Colquhoun are leaving Dec. 27 on the first p of a journey that will take them away from their Denison ad home for almost eight months.

First they will travel across the Southern States to New York l from there will sail for Palermo, Sicily. They will travel exsively on the continent before visiting in England, returning to city in the late summer.

During their absence, Mr. and Mrs. A. Windle, Winnipeg, will e in their home.

ere For Christmas

Miss Aileen O'Halloran, has arrived from San Francisco to nd the holiday season with her parents, Chief Justice and Mrs. H. O'Halloran, Beach Drive.

Mrs. O'Halloran is planning to entertain at a Christmas party Dec. 23 for her neighbors on Beach Drive.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Hooper with ir daughter and son from Saschewan are spending the win at their home on Millstream ad, Langford.

Mrs. Cyril Stanley Roberts, the mer Marjorie Louise Forrest, o has been spending the past e weeks with her parents, Mr. l Mrs. Harry Forrest, Green eet, has left to join her husd in Vanderhoof, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Forrest l their daughter, Mrs. A. Wiln Lord, have returned to the after a short visit in South rnaby, B.C.

Victorians who registered at tish Columbia House, London, g., recently were Mr. and Mrs. H. Palmer, Mr. E. F. M. Sim l Mr. Gordon A. Cockrell, all Victoria, and Mr. Francis Klein, ncan.

Mr. Walston Wells, Regina, arrived in the city last evening to spend the Christmas season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wells, Beach Drive.

Little five-year-old Dorothy (Dody) Ann Stofer flew from Vancouver alone yesterday to spend Christmas with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Stofer, 248 Douglas Street.

Miss Peggy Wharton was honored recently when members of her bridge club gathered at the home of Miss Connie Chrow, Craigdarroch Road. Presentation of a Royal Doulton floral centrepiece was made to the honor guest by the hostess on behalf of those present, among whom were Mesdames C. C. Campbell, J. Genest, J. Allison, R. Patterson, L. Excell, C. Copeland and Miss Marjorie Coates.

'Make Mine Straight! No Frills, Please!'

Young David Langton, 20 months, is telling his three-and-a-half-year-old brother, Bernie, just how he likes his "cambric" tea, as they rehearse for the annual children's Christmas party to be held under auspices of the Junior Auxiliary to St. Joseph's Hospital in the Nurses' Home on Saturday from 3 until 5. Mrs. J. Lowery is tea convener and Jack Boyd, B1546, the reservations. Proceeds will be used for the auxiliary's main project of providing Isobac safety bassinettes for the new children's ward at the hospital. The little boys are the children of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Langton, Linden Avenue.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

A Government House Party

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Clarence Wallace will entertain children of the Victoria Protestant Orphanage at a Christmas tree and party, next Wednesday afternoon. Santa Claus will pay a visit to the party and distribute gifts to the kiddies. A supper will also be served.

To Fly On Far-Eastern Trip

Hon. W. C. Woodward and Mrs. Woodward, who have spent the past few days at "Woodwyn," their country home on the Saanich Peninsula, returned to Vancouver last night. They will spend Christmas in the mainland city with their family, then, during the holiday week, will leave by plane for a three-month holiday trip. They will fly to Japan, China and India, and later to Greece, Switzerland and other European countries before returning to British Columbia.

Honored By Fellow Members

Mrs. H. Tyrrell, the former Mrs. W. Peden, one of the original members of Queen Alexandra Solarium board of directors and the Women's Auxiliary, was honored recently by members of the Women's Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. G. N. Joyce, Quadra Street.

Gust of honor was presented with a corsage and a badge. She was also made an honorary life member of the organization, which is now in the 25th year of activity.

Christmas Event Sponsored By Women's Church Groups

Yuletide motif was prominent at the recent Christmas tea and bazaar held at Christ Church Cathedral and James Bay groups of Women's Parish Guild which realized $235. A centre of interest was the illuminated Christmas tree laden with gifts for sale in charge of Mrs. F. A. Wenzel and Miss Jacqueline Johnston.

Tea arrangements were convened by Mrs. M. H. French, assisted by Mesdames R. Felton, S. M. Stubbs, A. Chesterman, C. H. Dale, A. J. Parmiter, S. White, A. E. Greenwood and Miss B. Morley.

In charge of stalls were Mesdames J. F. K. English, A. Mayfield, C. A. Gibson, J. Greenhill and D. M. Weaver, work; Mrs. A. Richman and Miss M. Lettice, novelty corsages; and Mrs. S. Woollett and Miss P. Tate, home cooking. A special miscellaneous stall was sponsored by the James Bay Group under Mesdames J. D. Crowther, H. Wilkerson, C. Webber, J. Stewart, A. Hughes, B. Holland and C. Raynor.

WOMEN NO SLOUCHES IN VOTING

CALGARY (CP)—Women do so vote! That was clear after Calgary's civic election.

Out of nearly 34,000 votes cast, there were only 30 fewer women voters than men.

Normally the number of men voters as compared with women is not tabulated, but Carl B. Cummer, assistant city clerk, decided to have the figures broken down.

The result was 16,990 men, 16,960 women. At almost every poll, the figures were about even.

Patients Increase At V.O.N.

Miss Marjorie Baird, district superintendent, Victorian Order of Nurses, reported an increase in patients at recent meeting of board of directors, with Mrs. E. Mallek presiding.

Preparing nurses for public health practise is one of the purposes of the V.O.N. charter. The student nurses of both hospitals have experience and observation with V.O.N. staff nurses.

Miss E. Riddell, returned from post-graduate instruction, is integrating the field work with the city health, Saanich, hospitals and V.O.N. in a new over-all plan. Keith MacDonald, health educator, is assisting.

Mrs. F. Norris reported on Community Welfare Council. Board members felt any curtailment in work would be a hardship to the community, but needed expansion would not be carried through as had been placed in their budget.

Other reports were received from Mrs. F. Midgley, nominations; H. L. Webster, E. C. Lewis and Col. R. W. Braide; Miss K. E. Gray, Local Council of Women nominations.

Officers Named

Mrs. G. R. Calvert was named honorary president by Mrs. H. S. Langford, convener of the nominations committee, at a recent meeting of the Senior Branch of the Christ Church Cathedral Women's Auxiliary.

Mrs. Claude Gardiner will take over presidential duties, and other officials are: Mrs. M. W. Mackenzie, first vice-president; Miss M. J. Wollaston, second vice-president; Mrs. S. H. Partridge, recording secretary; Mrs. C. Wood, corresponding secretary; Mrs. C. Courtenay, treasurer; Mrs. R. Dwyer, Dorcas; Mrs. E. Sigston; educational secretary; Mrs. I. Carscadden, united thank offering; Miss M. Ross-Jones, extra cents; Mrs. A. Semple, living message; Miss M. Robinson, prayer partner; Mrs. W. E. Bowen, social service; Mrs. P. G. Raven, juniors; Mrs. G. Howland, Little Helpers; Mrs. B. Josephs and Miss Ross-Jones, diocesan board representatives.

Mrs. C. Courtenay gave the treasurer's report showing that $897.52 was raised by the branch in 1951.

Miss Joan Clements, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Clements, Island Road, and Miss Sheila Bates, daughter of Mrs. G. Bates, Despard Avenue, have returned from Mills College, Calif., to spend the Christmas season with their parents.

St. Saviour's Winter Fair

Mrs. James Beatty opened the recent St. Saviour's Church annual winter fair, which realized over $350. Jane Vallillee presented Mrs. Beatty with a corsage of yellow roses.

Members of the evening branch, Mesdames D. M. Hughes, K. Roach, G. Doherty, W. Davidson, G. Harvey, G. Augustine and W. Lowery, served tea.

In charge of stalls were Mesdames B. Jacklin, F. Tammage and W. Ashworth, home cooking; Mrs. S. Kendall, contests; Mesdames W. Spedding and G. Crocker, candy; Mesdames C. White, F. Woods and G. Pocock, plain sewing; Mesdames J. Goodall, J. Robertson, R. Gibson, G. Fay and Miss K. Goodall, Christmas novelties; C. Clarke and Mrs. A. Cable, vegetables, fruit and plants; Mesdames A. Bursey, C. Clarke and E. Limb, white elephant.

The juniors, in charge of Mesdames A. Anderson and D. Kendell, provided movies for the children. Hot dogs and coffee were served by the evening branch in charge of Mesdames C. Banfield, T. Wilson, G. Wilson and A. Roach.

In the evening, the men's society presented a program of games in charge of D. Hobbs, C. Banfield, J. Robertson, M. Kendell and F. Tammage.

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Korea Claimed Major Victory

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, Korea, Dec. 13 (UP)—Gen. James A. Van Fleet said today the United Nations has won a "major victory in Korea," but warned that the growing Communist air force could jeopardize his Eighth Army's position.

"If the enemy throws in his Manchurian potential and we don't have additional air power to combat that threat," he said, "the Eighth Army might be jeopardized."

The general said, however, that "we do not anticipate that possibility."

In answer to the questions submitted in behalf of the front-line G.I.'s, Van Fleet said the Communists "certainly" were building up strength during the current battlefront lull, but so was the U.N.

"We are not hitting the enemy as hard now as we were several months ago and therefore he is not suffering as much," Van Fleet said.

But he said the Eighth Army will not be pushed out of Korea "as far as the comparative ground strength is concerned between the enemy and ourselves."

In effect he discounted the threat of China's overwhelming manpower potential and emphasized that "the point of balance lies in the air."

The question submitted to Van Fleet and his answer follow:

Q. "Do you think the Chinese and North Koreans are getting stronger every day of the current lull in the fighting?"

A. "Yes, indeed, the Chinese and North Koreans are getting stronger every day during the current lull in the fighting and even before the lull occurred. For several months the supply and replacement activities have been improving. It is reasonable to believe that the enemy is building up his strength just as the U.N. forces are doing. We are not hitting the enemy as hard now as we were several months ago and therefore he is not suffering as much. He is stronger in the air than he was two months ago and it is reasonable to assume that his ground forces are also considerably strengthened by recent replacements."

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LONDON (CP).—In the biggest single shipment of motorcars from Britain, the steamship Hoperidge left for Australia with cars valued at £400,000.

LONDON (CP).—To encourage articles on technical progress, the British Radio Industry Council has offered six yearly prizes for non-professional writers.

GUARD RETIRES

LONDON (CP). — Alexander Usher, Scotland Yard inspector who was attached as a security officer to Princess Elizabeth for four years, has retired.

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PRIVATE LIVES

Courtroom Is Packed For Tallulah Trial

NEW YORK, Dec. 13 (AP)—Defense counsel for Tallulah Bankhead's former maid-secretary, charged with forgery and grand larceny from the star, has been denied a motion for a mistrial.

The actress fired the defendant, Mrs. Evyleen R. Cronin, 59, after she allegedly raised sums on Miss Bankhead's cheques amounting to thousands of dollars.

The 48-year-old actress charges that a defense effort to link her private life with "booze, cocaine and sex" was part of a blackmail plot to keep the case from going to trial.

Wednesday, the third day of the trial, the white-haired Mrs. Cronin's attorney, New York State Seantor Fred G. Moritt, asked for a mistrial on grounds that there were "two trials going on in this courtroom."

One trial, Moritt contended, was being run "according to the rules"-while the other was "being conducted by the complaining witness. . . ."

When Moritt made his move, Miss Bankhead was not in the coutroom. Earlier, Judge Harold L. Stevens—"on the court's own motion"—had ordered the courtroom cleared of all witnesses.

In denying the mistrial motion Judge Stevens said Miss Bankhead's asserted "misconduct" during the opening day of the trial had not "prejudiced the rights" of the defendant.

Moritt had complained that the actress made "facial and audible remarks" detrimental to his own statements and he demanded that the court make her "shut up."

The trial has packed the courtroom. Among the spectators have been many fans of the star of stage, screen and radio.

Indians' Interest In Native Arts Roused, Says Duff

Pacific Northwest Indians are taking a greater interest in their dances, folk songs and art, Wilson Duff, provincial museum anthropologist, told a meeting of the B.C. Indian Arts and Welfare Society at the Arts Centre, Moss Street, Wednesday.

Duff said the interest was not restricted to the Indians only. Native dances, carvings and paintings were now being carefully studied in all parts of the world.

"Four major shows of Indian art were presented in Canada and the U.S. this year," Duff said. "At least six books have been published on the subject."

WINDSOR, England (CP).—Racing fans watched in horror as a field of 24 horses left the barrier in an event at this Berkshire race course. Racing head-on toward them was a loose horse. The stray racer swerved out of the way just in time to avert a collision.

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81st Annual Meeting of Shareholders THE DOMINION BANK

Impossible to stop Inflation by Price Control . . . says Mr. Rae.

Addressing the 81st Annual Meeting of Shareholders, the President, Robert Rae said in part:

The year 1951 has been marked by two new developments, one of them international and external to Canada, the other a domestic change of policy.

The action of the Monetary Fund in Washington on September 28 released all member-governments from one of the most important and, possibly most embarrassing pledges taken at Bretton Woods in 1944. Some day we may recognize it as one of the turning points in financial history.

Importance of Gold Standard

The so-called Bullion Report of 1810 tardily recognized two facts which prior to that date were vigorously contradicted and denied by those in authority: that the monetary policy pursued, in Britain particularly during the Napoleonic Wars, had inevitably led to the discounting of Bank of England notes against gold; and that the need for a stable medium, of international exchange especially, could be met only by setting up a gold standard.

This was done in 1821. Thenceforward, the pound sterling was a gold coin freely bought and sold, the fixed price of which, in Bank of England notes, guided the Bank's credit policy during the remainder of the century until, in August 1914, the link of the pound sterling with gold was again broken.

Of all the great measures of reform which benefitted Western man during the nineteenth century, measures which made possible an all-round improvement without precedent in the standard of comfort enjoyed by mankind, the enactment of a gold standard was one of the most important. The decision of the Monetary Fund is a belated recognition of the same situation in our own time as was recognized in London by the Bullion Report of 1810.

Gold Now to Find Own Price

In effect, it means that gold will now be permitted, like everything else which is the result of human effort, to gradually find its own price in relation to paper money, and plainly suggests that a reform of the domestic monetary policies of Members is required to discourage hoarding.

We may be glad that our thought on currency problems is now moving in the right direction, even though the market price of gold may remain relatively unchanged for sometime.

During 1951 there has been a fundamental change in our domestic policy.

It has already caused a good deal of discomfort both to Canadian business and to the man-in-the-street. I refer to the controls of credit which are now being pursued jointly in Ottawa, by the government and our central banking authorities, with a view to preventing further inflation.

By this time last year, inflation was assuming proportions much more dangerous than was generally realized then, or is realized even now.

Many Canadians regard themselves as victims of inflation, but fail to recognize inflation as destructive of prosperity, and the deadly threat to themselves and their families which it is.

Inflation Destroys Savings

Most earned incomes have been forced up since 1939 faster than the cost of living has increased. The success of large numbers of individuals in quickly raising their own dollar incomes, blinds them to the fact that in printing more and more dollars to finance these enlarged income payments—in thus cheapening the Canadian dollar relatively to goods or to gold—we have been destroying gradually but inevitably the real worth of the savings on which, as individuals, they depend for their future solvency.

Millions of Canadians, undoubtedly more prosperous than in 1939, are destined to leave their widows and children unnecessarily poor because of this gradual destruction of the purchasing power of the dollar.

We are bound to feel encouraged when, none too soon, those in authority take steps to control effectively the creation of new purchasing power.

Some among us mistakenly still think you can stop inflation by means of price controls. You cannot.

Credit Curb Only Remedy

Painful though the process may be, there is no dependable remedy for the disease of inflation except this one of restricting credit. The medicine tastes nasty, but for our own sakes, still more for the sake of dependents we must leave behind, it must be swallowed.

All Western countries during the past twelve or fifteen years have been flirting with and have become entangled in the theory that rates of interest can be manipulated successfully, kept artificially low to conform with certain ultra-modern conceptions of economic planning.

But evidence is accumulating that the manipulation of interest rates must and will, if adopted as a long-term policy, be followed by deplorable consequences.

Is it not time to adopt again the time-honored prescription and seek take our main stand against inflation by means of open-market operations, resolutely pursued on the necessary scale and during the necessary length of time?

These issues are not merely the concern of bankers and business borrowers. The decisions now being carried out affect (or will affect in the near future) the security, peace of mind and living standard of every Canadian family. For, apart from those short-term inflationary dangers which inevitably stem from the Korean War and today's imperative need for rearmament, there are also certain long-term inflationary dangers with which we must cope.

In my view, the long-term hazards are the most menacing. We must realize that the purchasing power of our dollar could be whittled away, gradually, to near nothingness. Indeed, the communists among us earnestly desire just this, and therefore we dare not neglect these dangers.

Not the least of them is a prevalent state of mind. Most people nowadays believe in the Welfare State. Most Canadians demand Full Employment.

But you cannot insist that more and more of the national income be given to persons, however deserving, who neither produce nor save; you cannot keep on creating new jobs continuously, without running headlong into the danger which all of us fear: more inflation.

Produce More to Have More

The fact is that all of us, government and citizens, tax collectors and tax payers alike, must "cut our coats according to our cloth." Otherwise, the continuance of inflation will remain a near certainty.

There is one basic truth which it is perilous to forget. A nation's income for consumption is neither more nor less than what its people can and do produce. We cannot enlarge it by printing paper dollars. If we want more, we must produce more.

Enough of us know this now to make frequent new Canadian production records. But others do not yet realize it.

I am still an optimist. Experience cannot teach all of us, but it does teach most men. As each one convinces himself that Canadians like the rest of mankind, must produce in order to consume, each, I do believe, will take up again his own task, make his own contribution to the collective livelihood, with the determination that is only to be found among free men.

Strong Liquid Position Shown in Statement Presented by General Manager

In presenting the Annual Financial Statement, A. C. Ashforth, general manager, spoke as follows:

I have the honour to submit to you the General Statement of the Bank for the fiscal year ended 31st October, 1951, and shall comment on the more important items. You will observe from the copy placed before you that it is the 81st Annual Balance Sheet which this Bank has issued.

Earnings

The Profit and Loss Statement shows that, despite rising costs of operation, profits have been well maintained and, after making full provision for bad and doubtful debts, amounted to $2,920,446.—an increase of $324,685. from a year ago. The sum of $561,382. was set aside for depreciation of buildings and equipment—an increase of $111,299. over last year—while the sum of $1,190,000. was required for Dominion and Provincial taxes, up $290,000., leaving net profits of $1,169,064. Of this amount $700,000. has been allocated to dividends and provision of $140,000. made for an extra distribution of twenty cents per share—a total distribution to the shareholders of $1.20 per share for the year. The balance of $329,064. has been added to Profit and Loss Account which now stands at $840,447.

It is worthy of note that the total provision of $1,190,000. for taxes is the equivalent of $1.70 per share, or 50c per share more than the total paid to shareholders in dividends, which, in turn, is mostly subject to tax in the hands of the recipients.

Strong Liquid Position

A strong liquid position has been maintained. Total cash assets at $94 millions were $3 millions higher than the previous year and the equivalent of 22.21% of all public liabilities. Quick or readily realizable assets, embracing cash assets, Government of Canada, Provincial, Municipal and other high grade securities, together with call loans totalled $224 millions, equivalent to 52.98% of all liabilities to the public.

This is lower than last year, reflecting a decrease of $54 millions in our holdings of securities and is occasioned principally by the increased demand for loans to finance commerce and industry.

Call and short loans in Canada and elsewhere aggregated $15 millions, practically unchanged from a year ago. Loans of this type are to brokers, bond dealers, etc., and are repayable on call as the name implies. These loans are adequately protected by readily marketable securities.

Current Loans

During the year current loans in Canada increased by $38 millions and now total $207 millions.

The increase is due in part to loans made to our customers engaged in defence contracts, and to the greater sums now required to finance general business due to higher prices. Grain loans were higher than a year ago and in all probability will continue at a higher level until the opening of navigation next Spring. You are aware of the unfavourable weather conditions in Western Canada at a time when harvesting of the crop would normally have taken place. Although the number of bushels of grain will compare favourably with previous years, the quality will be lower and delivery to the elevators delayed. Many farmers will be unable to harvest their crops until Spring and, consequently, some will need financial assistance until then. Needless to say help will be given them, but many will not have sufficient funds available to purchase many of the things they contemplated buying this Fall. This, no doubt, will have its effect on trade.

Deposits

Our non-interest bearing deposits were $26 millions less than a year ago. In the preceding year such deposits increased $38 millions and this year's decrease is due to the withdrawal of some of these temporary balances.

A very gratifying increase of $13 millions has taken place in interest bearing deposits and we are glad to record that an increasing number of people are doing their banking business with us, both in the commercial and savings departments. Canadians, on the whole, have in the past been provident people. At no time has the need for practicing this sterling quality been greater than to-day. It is realized, of course, that many people are finding it increasingly difficult to save, confronted as they are with higher taxes and higher living costs, especially pensioners and others whose incomes are fixed. There is, however, no better way for us to do our part in combating inflation than to avoid over-indulgence in spending, and to save as much of our income as we can.

It may be of interest to you to know that at September 29th, 1951, the number of current and savings accounts in Canadian Chartered Banks and payable in Canadian funds was 8,462,024. Eighty-five percent of all accounts carried balances of less than $1,000. The average savings account balance was $622., which compares with $642. at the same date last year.

I am pleased to report that our shareholders now number 2,966—an increase of 131 from a year ago. It is gratifying to see this annual enlargement.

New Branches

We have continued our policy of opening branches in new communities requiring banking facilities and also at other points where expansion has warranted our establishing offices. During the past year, therefore, to serve the needs of our present and future customers we have opened eleven new branches.

Bank Premises account has increased some $640,000. from a year ago. This reflects the continuation of our programme of acquiring new properties and in enlarging and modernizing premises to accommodate expanding business, to which I made reference last year.

Staff

The position which the Bank has attained is due in large measure to the efficiency and hard work of the members of the staff and I extend to them, on your behalf and my own, warmest thanks for the excellent job they have done during the year. Especially would I single out for commendation those officers who have direct contact with the public, for on the friendliness, courtesy and tact displayed in carrying out their duties much of our success depends.

As with most Banks, the turnover of our staff is higher than we care to see. We have endeavoured to make banking attractive to our employees and will continue to do so. We have increased salaries substantially and reduced working hours through the installation of mechanical equipment which has taken much of the labour out of routine operations. The welfare of the staff has our constant consideration. Young people faced with a choice of occupation would do well to give some thought to the banking profession and to the security of employment which it offers.

General Business

In February last certain restrictions on credit were deemed advisable and the result has been reasonably satisfactory, although it has created certain problems. Many manufacturers of civilian goods had geared production to the limit, and many retailers, fearing shortages and increased prices, had over-stocked their shelves. Since the announcement of credit restrictions consumers are pursuing a more cautious buying policy, which is having its effect on trade. Inventories in many lines are still too high and it will take some time yet to work them down to reasonable levels. In the meantime trade liabilities of many merchants and manufacturers are relatively high and any lessening of sales might create a shortage of cash with which to liquidate their payables.

Defence spending has been slower than was anticipated, but the programme is now gaining momentum and no doubt will assist in taking up some of the slack in civilian demand. It is to be hoped that it will have a beneficial effect in giving employment in areas where unemployment presently exists.

Capital $7,000,000 *Reserve Fund $11,000,000*

The DOMINION BANK

Condensed Statement as at 31st October, 1951

ASSETS

Cash on Hand and in Banks, including Bank of Canada	$ 94,170,910.
Government and Other Securities	115,497,748.
Call Loans	14,941,628.
Total Quick Assets	$224,610,286.
Commercial Loans and Discounts	210,726,434.
Bank Premises	7,517,956.
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit, Acceptances and Sundry Other Assets	15,478,650.
	$458,333,326.

LIABILITIES

Deposits		$409,550,746.
Deposits by Other Banks		13,952,547.
Letters of Credit, Acceptances and Sundry Other Liabilities		15,989,586.
Total Liabilities to the Public		$439,492,879.
Capital Paid Up	$ 7,000,000.	
Reserve Fund	11,000,000.	
Undivided Profits	840,447.	18,840,447.
		$458,333,326.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Profits for the year ended 31st October, 1951, after making appropriations to Contingency Reserves, out of which full provision for bad and doubtful debts has been made	$ 2,920,446.
Provision for depreciation of Bank Premises	561,382.
Provision for Dominion and Provincial Taxes	1,190,000.
Dividends at the rate of ten per cent per annum	700,000.
Dividends— Provision for Extra Distribution—20c per share	140,000.
Amount Carried Forward	329,064.
Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 31st October, 1950	511,383.
Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 31st October, 1951	840,447.

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Arion Choristers Romp And Lilt Through Guest-Aided Performance

By AUDREY ST.D. JOHNSON

Victoria's oldest musical aggregation, the Arion Male Voice Choir, made its first appearance of the season Wednesday night at the S. J. Willis Junior High School auditorium.

Under the direction of their new conductor, Peter Copeland, and with the assistance of several local artists as soloists, they presented a varied and entertaining program.

The choral numbers were unpretentious, almost all being familiar favorites. While still suffering from that common choral complaint, a lack of strength and resonance in the tenor section, they were successful in achieving some nice chording and a fair blend and balance.

One of the most pleasing numbers was their rendering of "The Old Woman" by Hugh Roberton, a composer who will be remembered as adjudicating on several occasions at early music festivals.

They also presented a really romping and spirited "Rolling Down to Rio" and a muted and tender "Irish Folk Song."

Lorraine Hemming has a fine contralto voice with an extensive range. It is well controlled, warm and expressive, but she should make a real effort to do away with notes; constant reference to these distracts from full enjoyment of her lovely singing.

Piano solos by Vivian Trimble were both technically and musically outstanding accomplishments. Her tempo was perhaps a trifle excessive, particularly in the Chopin Valse, given as an encore.

Dr. George Green has proved himself, time and again, to be a master of that difficult instrument, the cornet. His two solos were a welcome addition to the program.

Monologuist Marjorie Gilbart has a beautifully-trained voice, capable of great variety and color. Her second appearance with an excerpt of "Seventeen" was her best, her first number being definitely below the standard of her attainments.

Joe Almond, baritone, sang two well-chosen songs and young Billy Hastings brought the charming quality of the choirboy soprano into the evening; a touch appropriate to the season of carols. An example of old-time fiddling was given by George Scott.

Accompanist honors were shared and splendidly carried out by Helen McVie, club accompanist, Mrs. George Green and C. Bradley. The affair was sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association.

HASTINGS, England (CP).—One of the fishing boats that left this Sussex port to catch herring, came back instead with a six-foot bottle-nosed shark.

IN TOWN TONIGHT

ON THE SCREEN

ATLAS—"The Frogmen" at 2.35, 5.57, 9.24, plus "The Guy Who Came Back."

CAPITOL—"The Strip," at 12.55, 3.47, 6.39, 9.35, plus "This Tall Target."

DOMINION—"The Foxes of Harrow," plus "Journey Into Light."

FOX—"The Prince Who Was a Thief" at 6.45 and 9; doors 6.30.

OAK BAY—"Bonnie Prince Charlie" at 6.40 and 8.50; doors 6.30.

ODEON—"The Lady from Texas" plus "Seventh Veil."

PLAZA—"The Sea Hornet," plus "Havana Rose."

RIO—"Holiday Inn," plus "Snow Dog." Doors 5 p.m.

REALIZES AMBITION

GRAVESEND, England (CP).—Ever since childhood, 29-year-old Ruth Kingston wanted to nurse lepers. Next year she will do so at a colony in Northern Rhodesia.

IN HOLLYWOOD

Man Who Directed Francis Has Real Love For Mule

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 13 (AP)—The man who started the cycle of pictures about super-intelligent animals is content to let the cycle die.

Arthur Lubin, now directing his fourth "Francis" picture, expects it to be his last.

"I'm not sorry I started the cycle," he remarked, "but I'm just as happy to see it end. Too many producers are coming up with pictures about cats and dogs and all kinds of animals, so I think it's time to quit."

Lubin is what is known as a packager. He finds stories and sells them to studios, along with his services as director. He made such a deal for the original "Francis" and also for "Rhubarb," the movie about the cat that owned a baseball club.

WASHED UP

"The comic possibilities of such pictures are just about exhausted," the director said. "You can only do so many of them and then the market is full."

I watched Lubin direct scene after scene of Francis until the mule went through the right motions. Despite the pains needed for such scenes, the director displayed affection for the mule.

"He's really a smart animal and takes direction as well as could be expected," Lubin observed.

He wasn't quite as complimentary about Rhubarb. "Cats just won't take direction," he said. "You just can't do a thing with them."

The director's next package will also be in the fantasy department. He will direct Irene Dunne in "It Grows on Trees." The "it" is just what you think it is—money.

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Public Skating 8.00-10.00 p.m.
Commercial Practice 10.15-11.45 p.m.
FRIDAY, DEC. 14
Minor Hockey 7.00- 8.30 a.m.
Commercial Practice 8.30-11.30 a.m.
Naden 11.30- 1.30 p.m.
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BEDTIME STORY

by Thornton W. Burgess

Woolly Bear, the caterpillar whose fur coat is black at both ends and brown in the middle, was on his way to find a snug place in which to spend the winter. He didn't know it. No, sir, he didn't know it.

It was a cold, raw day. There were no other caterpillars anywhere about. The truth is, excepting for some other Woolly Bears, members of his own family, there were no other caterpillars. All other kinds of caterpillars had long ago wrapped themselves up in silken cocoons, or had changed into what are called chrysalids, and were no longer caterpillars at all. They never would be caterpillars again, but would be lovely moths or butterflies.

"Aren't you lonesome?" asked Peter Rabbit.

"Why should I be lonesome?" Woolly Bear wanted to know, and kept right on marching along.

"If you don't know where you are going, how will you know when you get there?" asked Peter. It was the second time he had asked the question.

"I'll know," said Woolly Bear, and hurried on. "Stop asking foolish questions.

"Thief! Thief! Thief!" screamed a harsh voice not far away.

Woolly Bear stopped abruptly. "It is only Sammy Jay," said Peter Rabbit.

"Is he coming this way?" Woolly Bear wanted to know.

Peter Rabbit sat up for a look around. "Yes," said he, "I believe he is."

"Is he very near?" asked Woolly Bear. He sounded anxious. The truth is, he was anxious.

"Yes," said Peter. "He sees me, and I guess he's coming over to see what I'm doing here."

"Thief! Thief! Thief!" screamed Sammy Jay again, and this time he sounded much nearer.

"Hullo, Peter Rabbit, what are you doing out here instead of being at home in the dear Old Briarpatch?" asked Sammy Jay as he lighted in the path in front of Peter. Then he spied Woolly Bear. "So, that's it!" he cried, and hopped over to the little black and brown ball in the middle of the little path.

He turned Woolly Bear over with his bill. Woolly Bear didn't move. He couldn't have seemed more dead if he really had been dead. Sammy Jay poked him again. Woolly Bear remained curled up tight.

"You wouldn't eat him, would you?" asked Peter.

"I might if I was hungry enough, and if he was alive. I wonder how long he's been here and what happened to him," said Sammy.

Peter kept his tongue still. He didn't tell Sammy Jay that only a moment before Woolly Bear had been hurrying along that little path.

Sammy gave the furry little ball a last poke with his bill, spread his blue wings with their white trimmings, and flew away.

Lower Prices On Newsprint For Quebec

QUEBEC, Dec. 13 (CP).—Quebec province newspapers apparently are paying a lower price for newsprint than the one generally quoted by newsprint companies.

But what the provincial preference is, no one would say Wednesday.

The statement that Quebec papers have been given a "substantial reduction" was made last night in the Legislature by Premier Duplessis.

Last June 5 Mr. Duplessis told the annual meeting of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association that newspapers of Canada, which produces more than half of the world's newsprint but consumes only a small percentage of it, should receive treatment "based on justice."

The province of Quebec, he said, produces 51 per cent of the newsprint made in North America, and added: "The timber belongs to the people—the newspapers represent the people—the newspapers are co-owners of the timber limits" (which the newsprint companies lease).

At the time he spoke, several newsprint companies had announced a $10-a-ton increase in price, effective July 1, which has since become general, and Mr. Duplessis commented:

"Control is best when it is self-control. When there is no self-control there may have to be another kind of control, and I don't believe in that except when it is necessary."

R. S. Porter Elected Chief Restaurateur

R. S. Porter was re-elected president of the Victoria Restaurants Association at its general meeting Wednesday.

Elected vice-president was P. Chan. Other officers: Miss B. Guelpa, secretary; Mrs. Keith Simmons, E. Tenhompel, Paul Arsens, G. Bulus and Peter Rapanos, directors.

Cigarette Supply Ample For Holiday

No shortage of cigarettes is predicted here for Christmas.

Tobacco wholesalers added, however, that there are no decorated boxes of cigarettes, nor are "flat 50's" common this year.

HORIZONTAL
1, 8 Depicted aquatic bird
13 Transferee
14 Caper
15 Snooze
16 Challenged
18 Indonesian of Mindanao
19 Displaced person (ab.)
20 Blemishes
21 Troop (ab.)
22 Compass point
24 Pendle
25 Genuine
27 Female horse
28 Proceed
29 Either
30 Behold!
31 Near
32 Let it stand
34 Genus of water scorpions
37 Lettuce
38 Period
39 Railroad (ab.)
40 Goddess of peace
45 Lieutenant (ab.)
46 Craft
48 One who cares
49 Fourth Arabian caliph
50 Portion
52 It is a good ——
54 Paradises
55 Worsted fabric

VERTICAL
1 Roam
2 Pass by
3 Small draught
4 Symbol for tellurium
5 Termini
6 Harvest
7 Roman emperor
8 Ingots of metal
9 Symbol for radon
10 Greek letter
11 Acrid
12 Card game
17 And (Latin)
23 Birds of prey
24 Separated
26 Booty
27 Groan
32 Abrade
33 Hot
35 Plant spores
36 Dress
40 Prosts
41 Sun god
42 Gaelic
43 Elf
44 Silkworm
47 Golf device
49 Friend (Fr.)
51 Tomorrow night (ab.)
53 Millimeter (ab.)

Answer to Previous Puzzle

Frown On Kurt Meyer For New German Army

BONN, Germany, Dec. 13 (CP).—German officials say Kurt Meyer has virtually no chance of getting into a new German army expected to be raised for joint Western defense. His SS taint probably would keep him out.

Speculation about the future of the Nazi general now serving a life sentence for responsibility in the killing of 18 Canadian prisoners during the Second World War developed anew today with talk that freedom may come for some of Germany's war criminals when Germany regains sovereignty next year.

A high official involved in Germany's new defense plans was asked what would happen if Meyer were released and applied for a commission in the new German army of 12 divisions expected to be raised for defense of the west.

He said Meyer's chances would be nil. There are too many former high officers with "white" war records available to make it necessary to take in those with grey and black records, he said.

At best, this official said, Meyer might get back as a lower-ranking officer if war came. The main reason is that Meyer was a general in the Schutzstaffel and the regular army doesn't like the SS, or what it did to Germany's military reputation through atrocities and association with politics.

Meyer himself said recently he would take up arms again if he were released but only in a united European army—such as the one the Germans will join.

Meyer, major-general commanding the German 12th SS (Elite Guard) Hitler Youth Division, now is in Werl Prison in the western zone of Germany.

Long-Time Resident, James Kennedy, Dies

Private funeral services will be held Friday at 3.15 from Sands Mortuary for James Kennedy, 908 Russell, a resident of Victoria for 80 years, who died in St. Joseph's Hospital Wednesday.

Mr. Kennedy came to Victoria from Liverpool in 1871.

Closer Liaison Kept With Farm Community

In line with the British Columbia Federation of Agriculture's policy of maintaining close liaison with government agricultural centres, C. E. S. Walls, secretary-manager, has transferred his office from Vancouver to Room 102, 536 Broughton, Victoria.

Closing Averages

DOW JONES AVERAGES

30 Industrials......265.81, off .28
20 Rails..........82.70, up .11
15 Utilities.........46.65, up .01
65 Stocks..........96.78, off .01
Volume, 1,380,000.

TORONTO AVERAGES

Industrials.....340.03, off 1.18
Golds..........82.51, up .07
Base metals.....193.38, off .16
Western oils.....124.88, off .29
Sales, 1,859,000.

MONTREAL AVERAGES

Industrials..........227.9, up .2
Utilities..........86.8, up .1
Golds..........67.09, off .19
Papers..........795.91, off .84
Sales, 308,700.

Aluminum Deal Brings Advance In Anaconda

NEW YORK, Dec. 13 (AP)—There was a quiet air about stock market trading today with chemicals and air lines offering an upside leadership that wasn't followed by the market as a whole.

Oils, coppers, and radio-television shares had a following from time to time but they didn't get very far.

Anaconda Copper was higher and in demand after the government decided to let the company get into the aluminum business in a $40,000,000 production project.

Stocks advancing included Northern Pacific, Gulf Oil, Pan American World Airways, Eastern Air Lines, American Telephone, Kennecott Copper and International Telephone.

Lower were Republic Steel, General Motors, Goodyear, Consolidated Natural Gas and Eastman Kodak.

Canadian issues were mixed. Canadian Pacific was up ⅜, Dome Mines gained ¼ and Hiram Walker advanced ⅛. Distillers Seagram dropped ¾. International Nickel remained unchanged and McIntyre was not quoted.

On the curb, Royalite Oil was up ⅛, Giant Yellowknife was off ⅛ and Lake Shore slipped ¼.

Quatsino Bought

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13—Little interest was taken in any section and prices where changed were mixed.

Quatsino advanced 4 cents to .48 on talk of an iron smelter for Vancouver, and International Coal at .95 was up 5 cents. Silver Standard was weaker at 2.50, and Western Uranium declined 5 cents at 3.90.

Royal Canadian was active among the penny oils gaining 1 cent at .20. McDougall Segur at .29 was up 1 cent, and Vanalta gained 3 cents at .68. Britalta at 4.80 was down 30 cents.

Powell River was off ¼ at 27.

Toronto Slips

TORONTO, Dec. 13 (CP).—Stock market prices slipped steadily today toward the session's close.

Utilities showed a majority of fractional advances to take over as the market's strongest section. Papers, constructions, steels, foods, manufacturing companies, retail stores and miscellaneous industrials held gains and losses in balance. Refining oil, banks and textiles weakened while agricultures and liquors turned sharply lower.

In base metals Consolidated Smelters, Hudson Bay, Noranda and Quemont added fractions. Barvue, Chromium and Golden Manitou climbed pennies.

Western oils made little headway. Anson, Commonwealth Federated, Model, Central Explorers and Royalite strengthened. Canadian Collieries, Gridoil and Trans-Empire eased.

Senior golds showed little change.

Electrics Gain

MONTREAL, Dec. 13 (CP).—Stock prices continued to firm towards the close today in line with yesterday's late rally.

Most sections of the market were up slightly, led by papers and beverages. Exceptions were banks and industrials which were off slightly.

Winnipeg Electric was the big gun for the plus side with a three-point gain to 39. South Canada Power preferred, Noranada and Canada Steamship were each up one point.

Page Hersey and Dominion Glass were the main losers, dropping one point each.

Mines settled into a slightly lower price path while western oils firmed a trifle with the industrial market. Barvalee was off pennies.

Big Shipping Deal

LONDON, Dec. 13 (Reuters)—The stock markets appear well on the road to recovery following their recent heavy decline. Signs today were that confidence is being restored at a good pace, and in many instances share prices bounded higher.

Prominent in a firm shipping section was British and Burmese Steam Navigation ordinary with a rise of 40/, at 160/, on the announcement of a take-over offer of 160/ per share from Elder Dempster holdings.

LONDON, Dec. 13 (AP)—Stock closings: Babcock & Wilcox 70s 6d, Boots Pure Drug 23s, Consolidated Gold Fields 50s, Courtaulds 46s 9d, Hudson's Bay Co. 162s 6d, Imperial Chemical 47s 10½d, Imperial Tobacco 94s 4½d, Metal Box 48s 6d, Mexican Eagle 25s 6d, Rand Mines 130s.

Bonds: British 2½ per cent Consols £61⅝, British 3½ per cent War Loans £80⅝, British Fundings 4s 1960-1990 £99⅛.

TODAY'S STOCK QUOTATIONS

By
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MONTREAL-TORONTO INDUSTRIALS

CLOSING PRICES

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi Com	16⅝	16¾
Do Pfd	24¾	25
Acadia Atlantic	6⅜	6½
Do A	17⅜	18½
Do Pfd	96	98
Agnew-Surp	10	10¼
Algoma Steel	48	48¼
Aluminium	101¼	102½
Do Pfd	22½	23
Anglo-Nfld-D	11	11⅛
Argus Corp	13½	13¾
Do Pfd		87
Asbestos (new)		22
Ashdown A	13	16
Do B	15¾	16½
Atlas Steel	20½	20¾
Bathurst A	51¼	53
Do B	31½	33
Beatty Bros	8⅞	9⅜
Bell Tele	38⅝	38⅞
Blue Ribbon	22½	23
Brant Cord A	16½	17
Do B	12	
Brazilian Trac	12½	12⅝
B-A Oil	20¼	20⅜
BC E 4% Pfd	77½	78¾
Do 4¾% Pfd	92	92½
BC Fors Prod	8⅛	8¼
BC Packers A	19	20
Do B	16	17
BC Power A	31¾	32
Do B	5	5½
Brown Co	13¼	13⅜
Do 1st Pfd	107	109
Do 2nd Pfd	51	51½
Bruck Mills A	18½	19
Do B	9½	10½
Build Products	33	33½
Burlingtn Steel	20	21
Burns Co A		56
Do B	31	33
Burard DryD A	8¼	8¼
Cda Dom Sug	19¾	20
Cda Cement	79	81
Do Pfd	26	26½
Cda Iron Fnd	19¾	20½
Cda Malting	48	50
Cda North Pwr	10¼	10½
Cda Packers A	35	36
Dd B	30	31
Cda Permnt	46½	48
Cda Stmships	50	53
Do Pfd	45	45¼
Cdn Wire A	165	180
Do B	80	89
Cdn Breweries	17&	18
Cdn Bronze	35¼	
Do Pfd	100	
Cdn Canners	32½	32¾
Cdn Car Fndry	14⅝	15¼
Do A	17	17⅛
Cdn Celanese	49½	50
Cdn Cl $1.75 pf		37
Cd Cl $1 pf		21⅝
Cdn Drdg Dck	52	52¼
Cdn Gn Elct	385	415
Cdn Gnrl Invst	24½	25
Cdn Indus	41½	42
Cdn Lcmtv	31½	32
Cdn Oil	25⅝	25½
Cdn Pcf Rly	37¾	38
Cdn Vickers	16	16¾
Cdn Wst Lmbr	10⅞	11
Cdn Wstnghs	75	80
Chatco Steel	6½	
Chatco Stl, pf	6½	7
Cckshtt Plw	16⅝	16⅞
Cmrcl Al, cm	6½	7

	Bid	Asked
Cmrcl Al. pf	8	9
Cons M & S	189	189½
Con Paper	36½	37¼
Consumers Gas	22	23½
Corby's A	12	12⅛
Corby's B		12¼
Cosmos Imp	24⅝	28
Craig Bit	4⅝	5¼
Dvs Lthr A	16	18
Dvs Lthr B	7	9¼
Dstllrs-Sgrms	25½	26*
Dmn Bridge	75	76¾
Dm Fnd & Stl	12½	12⅝
Dm F & S, pf	97	98
Dmn Glass		70
Dmn Mgnsm	12½	13
Dm St & Cl	18	18½
Dmn Stores	11½	12
Dmn Tr & Ch	44⅛	44½
Dm T & Chm	44¼	44½
Dm T & Ch, pf		19¾
Dmn Textile	11¾	11⅞
Dmn Woollens	7	8¼
Donahue Bros	N	39
Donnacona Ppr	27¼	33
Dryden Paper	40	41
Eddy Paper A	23½	23¾
Electrolux	14⅛	
T H Estbrk, pf	18½	20
Famous Plyrs	16⅝	17
Fanny Farmer	25½	26
Federal Grain	12¾	13⅛
Fleet Mfg	175	180
Ford of Cdn A	52	52¼
Fraser Co		60½
Fraser Co, pf	102	102½
Gatineau Pwr	17⅛	17⅞
Gt Pwr 5% pf		98
Gnrl Stl Wrs	15	15⅞
Gnl Stl Wr, pf		101
Goodyear Tire	97	98
Gdyr Tire, pf		52
Grt Lks Ppr	20	21
Grt Lks A, pf	49⅝	50½
Grt Wst Cl B	7⅝	7½
Gypsm L & Al	29	30¼
C I F		700
Hamilton B	16⅝	16½
Hinde Dauche	24	28⅝
Howard Smith	23½	24
Imp Oil	37½	37¾
Imp Tobacco	9⅝	9⅞
Do 4% pfd		23½
Indust Accept	34⅝	35½
Inter Bronze	9¾	10½
Do pfd		21
Inter Nickel	41¾	42½
Inter Paper	49	49¾
Inter Pete	22¾	23
Inter Power	59	60
Inter Utilities	26	26⅝
Labatts	17⅝	18⅛
Laks of Woods	31	33
Lang	12	12⅝
Laura Secord	13	13½
Loblaw A	30¾	31¾
Do B	32	32¼
McMillan A	24⅝	
Do B	24¾	25⅛
Mailman Corp	16	17
Maple Leaf M	8¼	8⅜
Massey Harris	12¼	12⅝
McColl Front	40⅛	40¼
Do pfd	80	93¾
Mercury Mills	300	325
Milton Brick	155	160
Robt Mitchell	30	31
Molson's A	24	25
Do B	23	24

	Bid	Asked
Montreal Loco	14⅝	15½
Nat Brew	18½	19
Nat Drug	7½	8⅝
Nat Steel Car	28⅛	28⅝
Niagara W W	32	33
Ogilvie Flour	25½	26
Ontario Steel	80	90
Orange Crush	365	375
Page Hersey	67	67½
Penmans	55	58
Powell River	27	27¼
Power Corp	28¾	29
Price Bros	32½	32¾
Purity Flour	8⅝	9
Do pfd	51⅞	53
Riverside S A	28	28½
Do B	10	15
Russell Indus	24	24½
St Law Corp	41	42
Do 1st pfd	40	41
Shawinigan A	38	38⅝
Do pfd B	42	42⅞
Shea's Brew A	14	15
Do B	28½	29
Sick's Brw cm	19	19½
Do V T	18½	19¼
Simpson's A	33⅝	34
Do B	30	31
Southam Co	16⅝	17
Standard Pav	13½	14
Do pfd	27½	28
Stl of Can cm	33⅝	34
Taylor Prsn	7	7½
Do pfd	11½	11⅝
Traders Fin A	27½	28½
Union Gas	20⅝	20¾
United Corp A	28⅝	29¼
Do B	38½	39
Hiram Wlkr	53¼	53½
Westeel	19¼	19½
W Can Brew	17	17½
Wstn Groc	43	43½
Geo Weston	20¼	
Do pfd	90	
Winnipg Elec	38½	39
York Kntng	5¼	5⅝
BANKS		
B of Mont	28¼	28⅝
B of NS	36	36¾
B of Toronto	38⅝	39½
Can B of Com	26	26¼
Dom B		28½
Imp B		38
Royal B	28⅛	28⅝
UNLISTED		
Anglo C Tel A	11	12
Do pfd		41½
BC Sugar	97	99
BC Tel pfd	108	112
Do pfd 4⅜	92½	95
Do com	34	34½
Calgary P pfd	92½	98
Can Util pfd	100	102½
CW Nat Gas	65	
Do pfd	18	19¾
Cunn Drg pfd	50	52
Dover Indus	8	9
Growers W	160	
Husky Oil	8½	9½
Neon Products	50	52
Power Corp	110½	
Peller Brew	110	135
Do pfd $25	11	
Howard Smith		47½
Safeway Can	91	93
Simpson's	91	92¼
U Steel P pfd	24	25½

TORONTO MINES AND OILS

OILS	Bid	Asked
Ajax	156	160
Anchor	18	19
Ang-Canadian	865	875
C & E	13	13½
Calmont	162	165
Calvan	550	565
Canada Sthrn	880	705
Cdn Atlantic	660	665
Central Leduc	250	260
Charter Oil	120	130
Commoil	305	330
Cmmnwlth	330	350
Davies	50	55
Del Rio	175	180
Devon Leduc	230	240
Dm Explrtn	900	925
East Crest	21	22
Federated	790	800
Gridoil	9¾	10
Home Oil	17	17½
Jupiter	270	280
Kroy	170	180
Leduc Consltd	46	49
Long Island	65	70
MidlContinent	65	70
Model Oil	175	180
National Pete	310	320
Nw Brtsh Dm	280	265
New Pacalta	11	12
Oil Selections	13	14
Okalta	330	345
Pacific Pete	11	11¼
Pan Western	96	102
Rdwtr-Pccdily	61	55
Royalite	16	16½
Roxana	20	22
Scurry	156	160
Scrty Freehold	225	240
Selburn	340	350
Superior	136	140
Tower Pete	36	40
Trans Empire	400	410
Trend	45	50
United Oil	80	85
Wstrn Hmstd	142	149
MINES		
Amn Yk	40	43
Ankeno	60	63
Akaitcho	106	112
Anacon	320	325
Ascot Metals	300	310
Aubelle	8	10
Aumaque	22	23
Auner	300	310
Barnat	92	98
Barymin	80	85
Base Metals	53	55
Bevcourt	66	70
Bobjo	16	18
Bralorne	580	600
Broulan	140	145
Buff Addison	10	11
Buff Ankerite	130	135
Bulolo	660	665
Cassiar	320	335
Cmpbl Rd Lk	420	450
Cdn Malartic	55	57
Castle Treth	210	225
Centrl Patricia	64	75

	Bid	Asked
Chmcl Rsrch	120	130
Chesterville	31	32
Cblt Ld Slvr	84	90
Cchnr Wllns	151	155
Colomac	4	4¼
Conwest	350	365
Cons Beatty	19	21
Cons Duquesne	30	35
Croinor	28	30
Discovery YK	35	37
Dome Mines	17½	18
Donalda	50	52
East Malartic	90	92
East Sullivan	930	940
Elder	52	55
Eldona	18	19
Estella	210	225
Eureka	124	125
Falconbridge	10¼	11
Frobisher	360	375
Giant Yllwknf	10¼	11
Gods Lake	35	37
Gldn Manitou	665	675
Harricana	8	9
Hardrock	14	15
Hasaga	30	34
Hollinger	14¼	15
Hosco	5	6
Hudsn By Mng	61¾	63
Indian Lake	4	5
Inspiration	35	36
Joliet Quebec	42	46
Kerr Addison	18	18¼
Kirkland Lake	81	85
Labrador	800	825
Lake Dufault	66	70
Lake Osu	20	23
Lake Wasa	30	35
Lamaque	540	590
Lavalle	19	22
Lk Shore	13	13½
Leitch Gold	102	107
Penimore	85	90
Little Long Lc	76	80
Lingman Lk	17	19
Louvicourt	35	36
Lynx YK	12	13
M'Donald	96	100
M'Intyre	69	70
M'Kenzie RL	44	48
M'L Cockshit	270	285
Macassa	180	181
Mackeno	154	160
Madsen RL	200	210
Malartic Gfd	174	180
Mining Corp	17	17½
Moneta	29	33
Negus	66	70
New Calu	290	300
New Dicknsn	130	135
New Jason	6	9
New Lund	134	140
Nipissing	210	220
Nisto	14	16
Noranda	81	82
Normetals	500	510
O'Brien Gold	126	130
Osisko Lk	96	100
Pamour Porc	76	80
Paymaster	56	60
Perron Gold	60	65

	Bid	Asked
Pickle Crow	160	162
Powell Rouyn	80	90
Preston	134	140
Que Man	290	300
Quemont	22½	23
San Antonia	250	260
Senator	15	17
Sheep Ck	160	164
Sherritt Grdn	400	405
Silanco	36	40
Sigma	680	750
Silver Miller	132	140
Silver Stand	245	250
Sisco Gold	62	67
Sladen Malar	36	40
Starratt Olsn	46	
Steeprock	685	700
Sullivan	320	335
Sylvanite	116	120
Teck Hughes	225	230
Toburn	29	32
Trns Cnt Rs	53	58
Upper Can	152	156
Unid Keno Hl	12½	13
Ventures	13¾	14
Wrt Hrgrvs	160	165
YK Bear	162	165
Yale L Z	80	85
Yukeno	112	117
UNLISTED	**Bid**	**Asked**
Ajax	80	90
Aug Porc	10	15
Aurora	52	57
Beacon	13	17
Bi Ore	4	7
Can Super	15	16
Cent Man	7	11
Clear Oil	43	46
Comstck	35	40
Captain	2	5
Empire	30	35
Goldflds U	50	70
Horne Fault	7	11
Husky Oil	8½	9½
Jet Oils	44	46
Kamlac	16	19
Lasalle	2	4
Lingnora	3	5
Lun Echo	6	10
Midland	17	20
Mindus	40	45
Mt Keno	33	37
Nesbt Labne	120	130
Norbeau	70	90
Oklend	10	13
Ordala	2	4
Pascalis	8	11
Payne	7	10
PRNG	390	415
Radiore	47	51
Rand Malar	8	11
Salmita	60	75
Vause Dflt	10	13
Vermil Cons	23	30
Walcora		10
W Amulet		28
Westlock	28	30
Yukore	25	40

VANCOUVER—NOON

OILS	Bid	Asked
Anaconda	14	14½
Anglo Can	865	875
AP Con	67	68
Can Atlantic	660	675
Britalta P	480	490
C and E	13⅝	14
Calmont	159	162
Calnorth	47	
Calvan Cons	550	
Cent. Leduc		262
Charter	123	128
Commoil	315	350
Commonwelth	335	340
Dalhousie	32	
Decalta		41
Del Rio	170	172
Federated P	790	800
General P	800	810
Do A	800	
Hargal	12½	13
High Sarcee	22	24
Home	17	17½
McD Segur	27	30
Mercury	24	
Mill City	37	37⅛
Okalta	335	
Redwater Leas	31	35
Pacific P	10⅝	11
Royal Can	19	19½
Share	16	17¾
South Braz	10	11
Spooner		35

	Bid	Asked
Sunset	55	62
Superior	136	
Vanalta	66	69
York	44	45
MINES		
American Std	27	30
Base Metals	53½	58
Beaver L	102	105
Bralorne	590	600
Bibis	73	
BRX (1935)	3	6
Caribou G	109	110
Congress	6	7
Cronin Babine	50	51
Cuyuni Gold	8	
Estella	218	220
Giant Mascot	88	90
Golconda	23	
Grandview	45	56
Hamil	21	25
High Belle	81	
Indian	24	25
Inter C C	90	95
Island Mount	26	
Koot B M	27½	28
Koote Belle	100	105
Mackeno	155	165
McG Creek	47	48
P E Gold	6	
Pacific Nickel	38	40
Pend Oreille	900	925
Pioneer Gold	195	200
Placer Devel	49	51½
Premier Brdr	33½	36

	Bid	Asked
Privateer	8	9
Quatsino Copr	47	47½
Red Hawk	5	5½
Reeves McD	610	650
Reno Gold		4
Sheep Creek	165	175
Silbak Premier	63	64
Silvan Cons	130	137
Silver Ridge	20	21
Silver Stnd	250	255
Taylor Bridge	26	—
Utica	4	
Vananda	15½	17
Van Roi	75	79
Wellington		3⅝
West Expl	115	125
West Uran	385	390
Yukeno	110	115
INDUSTRIALS		
Alberta Dist	310	330
Do V T	300	310
B C Turf	40	45
Can Collier	390	
Can West L	10⅝	11
Cap Estates	17	
Coast Brew	400	405
Interior Brew	410	
MacMillan B		26¼
P C Terminls	12	
Powell River	26½	27
Sun Publish		22
West Paper A	10⅝	—
Do B	9	—

NEW YORK CLOSE

	Close
Allied Chemicals	73¼
American Can	110¼
American Tobacco	61¼
American Smelter	49
Amer Tel & Tel xd	156½
Anaconda Copper	50⅝
Atchison Topeka	77
Amer Home Prod	36⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	75¼
B & O Railway	19⅛
Bethlehem Steel	50⅝
CPR	36⅞
C & O Railway	32⅛
Chrysler	69⅝
Corn Prod	68⅝
Dupont	92¼
Delaware & Hudson	43
Eastman Kodak	49
Erie RR	17⅝
General Foods	42½
General Electric	57⅝
General Motors	51⅝
Goodyear Tire	43⅝
Great Northern	52
Inter Harvester	34⅝
Inter T & T	17¼
Inter Nickel	40⅞
Johns-Manville	65⅝
Kennecott Copper	86⅛
Loews Theatre	17¼
National Distillers	33⅛
New York Central	18½
Norfolk Western	47¾
Northern Pacific	67⅝
Pennsylvania Railway	17⅝
Pepsi Cola	9½
Procter Gamble	66⅝
Radio	23⅝
Republic Steel	41⅝
Schenley Distillers	33
Standard of Calif	50⅝
Standard of NJ	72⅝
Sears Roebuck	55⅝
Sinclair Oil	43⅛
Socony	34⅞
Southern Pacific	60⅛
Southern Railway	50½
St Paul	26⅝
Texas Corp	55⅝
Union Carbide	62⅞
Union Pacific	100
United Aircraft	30⅞
US Steel	40
Westinghouse Elec	38⅝
Woolworth	42⅝

CANADIAN BONDS

Dominion of Canada—			Bid	Asked
VL 2	3	1954	100.65	101.40
VL 3	3	1956	99.60	100.35
VL 4	3	1957	98½	99¼
VL 5	3	1959	97½	98½
VL 6	3	1960	97	98
VL 7	3	1962	95⅝	96⅝
VL 8	3	1963	95	96
VL 9	3	1966	94⅝	95⅝
	3¼	1966	97⅝	98⅝
	3	Perp.	85¾	87¼
	2¾	1968	91¼	92¼
Dominion Guarantees—				
CNR	2¾	1967	89⅝	91¼
Do	2⅞	1971	89	90½
Do	3	1959	96½	
Do	3	1966	93½	95
Do	5	1954	102½	103⅝
Provincial Securities—				
BC	2¾	1968	83½	—
Do	3	1960	93	—
Do	3	1964	87½	—
Do	3	1969	84½	—
Sask	3	1963	89½	91⅛

Do	3¼	1962	91½	94½
Do	4	1960	97	—
Do	3¾	1965	94	—
Man	2¾	1966	83½	
Do	3	1965	89½	91½
Ont	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Que	3	1965	89½	92
NW	3½	1965	85½	88½
NS	3	1967	85¼	88¼
Municipal Securities—				
Van	3½	1964	85	89
Do	3¾	1970	87	91
Do	4	1958	97½	par ½
Do	5	1965	101	105
Vic	3¾	1970	86	90
NW	3½	1964	84½	88½
VW	3¼	1970	88	91
Do	3¾	1968	94	
Corporation and Utility Securities—				
APP	4¼	1961	100	
AP	4½	1968	99½	par ½
ACO	4	1964	135	
BAO	3½	1961	100½	
BCE	3¼	1967	85	90
Do	3½	1975	84	89

Do	3¾	1969	92	
BCP	4½	1966	95	99
BCT	4	1962	98	101
Brns	4	1963	92	97
CB	4¼	1967	92	96
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CWL	4	1962	96	100
CP	4¼	1965	94	99
CC	5	1968	98½	101½
DSC	4	1961	102	105
PG	4	1964	96	
EP	5	1975	94	98
GP	4½	1965	110	112
IO	3	1969	88	92
IT	3	1970	85	89
McM	4	1965	96	100
NSS	3½	1963	89	93
OT	3¾	1968	92	95
PC	3½	1967	89	93
SWP	3	1971	87	91
Do	3½	1973	90	94
SL	3½	1960	94	98
TEO	5	1966	104	
WCB	4¼	1965	93	97
Do	5	1967	99	102½
WE	3¾	1971	94	98

$ Exchange

NEW YORK, Dec. 13, Noon (CP)—Canadian dollar was up ⅛ of a cent at a discount of 2¾ per cent in terms of U.S. funds. Pound sterling was unchanged at $2.80⅛.

MONTREAL, Dec. 13, Noon (CP)—Market rate for U.S. funds was $1.02¾. Wednesday's noon rate was $1.03⅛. Pound sterling was $2.87⅞, against $2.88¾ Wednesday.

Halcro Well Indicated As Discovery

By C. V. MYERS

Decalta Halcro No. 1 is an indicated oil discovery in the Lower Cretaceous three miles east of the Campbell field and seven miles northeast of Edmonton. Latest test yielded a rise of 780 feet of clean oil, no water, after showing gas.

The test was run 3,694-98½ feet for one hour 30 minutes. Gas reached the surface in 35 minutes. Another five feet is being cored and another test will be run. Two previous tests yielded gas.

The well is located on 540 acres owned by Halcro, and Decalta owns 38 per cent of the Halcro stock.

CASING SET

Trans-Empire Admiral No. 3, latest Trans-Empire producer, is installing pump. Its Redwater syndicate well, Race Redwater No. 1, has set surface casing to 625 feet, while Roxboro Trans-Empire No. 1 at Campbell is production testing through a one-eighth-inch hole. Trans-Empire Campbell No. 1 is coring at 3,663 feet in the Lower Cretaceous.

Trans-Empire and Pacific Petroleums announced location of their first Bashaw test three miles north of the producing area.

The deal embraces a spread of 4,000 acres with interest Pacific 40 per cent, Trans-Empire 40 per cent, Sharpels 10 per cent. On the quarter being drilled, Hy-Charger enters the picture for a 25 per cent interest by putting up 50 per cent of the drill costs, leaving Trans-Empire 40 per cent, Pacific 25 per cent, Sharpels 10 per cent. Trans-Empire put up the other half of the drill costs.

A second test at Long Island Homestead Gas Exploration No. 3, 3,454-64 feet gave 3,630,000 cubic feet of gas and 15 feet salt water. Next test to 3,474 gave 540 feet of salt water. A previous ten-foot interval 3,444-54 gave 3,460,000 cubic feet gas. The well will set casing after drilling to 3,500 feet.

GRAIN

WINNIPEG

	Open	High	Low	Close
Oats—				
Dec.	99¾	99⅞	99¼	99¼
May	97¼	97⅜	96½	96½
July	--	--	--	91½
Rye—				
Dec.	225¾	225¾	220¾	221⅝
May	230	230½	225¼	225⅝
July	223⅝	223⅝	218¾	219
Barley—				
Dec.	140½	141	139½	139⅞
May	137	137⅜	135⅝	135¾
July	129¾	130	128½	128½
Flax—				
Dec.	497	497	492	492½
May	504	506	499	499
July	494	495	491½	491½

CASH GRAIN
Oats—No. 2 C.W., 99¾.
Barley—No. 2 C.W., 139⅞.
Rye—No. 2 C.W., 221⅝; track, 221⅝.

CHICAGO

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Dec.	264¾	265⅜	263¼	263½
Mar.	266⅛	266½	264⅜	264¾
May	262	262⅜	260⅞	261⅛
Corn—				
Dec.	193¾	194	192¼	192⅝
Mar.	197¼	197⅜	195⅝	196
May	196¾	196¾	195⅜	195⅞
Oats—				
Dec.	98½	98¾	97⅞	97⅞
Mar.	101	101¼	100⅛	100¼
Rye—				
Dec.	217½	218	216	217
May	219	220	217¼	218½
July	215⅛	215½	212¼	213¼

Seagram Profit Down Heavily

The profits of Distillers Corp. Seagram, Canada's biggest distillery combine, were reported nearly $7,000,000 lower for the quarter ending Oct. 31. This is the first quarter of the company's fiscal year, and the earnings per common share were $1.16, compared with $1.95 for the similar period of 1950. Net profit in U.S. funds was $10,158,520.

H.B. Dividend

The governor and committee of the Hudson's Bay Company today announced interim dividend of 6½ per cent payable Jan. 29, 1952. Par is 1£.

City Egg Prices

To producer:
Grade A large 40c
Grade A medium 37c
Grade A small 35c
Grade B 35c

Wholesale:
Grade A large 53c-54c
Grade A medium 50c-51c
Grade A small 48c
Grade B 48c

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to apply to lease Land

In Land Recording District of Victoria, B.C. and situate on the northerly foreshore of the Gorge, west of or above the Gorge Bridge ... of Lot 12, Plan 989.

Take notice that Mr. Ronald Alfred Wood, of 355 Gorge Road, W., occupation Boat Repairer, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands: Commencing at a post at the southwesterly corner of Lot 12, Plan 989. Thence southwesterly at right angles to the general shoreline, 200 feet, thence southeasterly parallel to the shoreline 220 feet, thence northeasterly 200 feet more or less to the southeast corner of Lot 10, Plan 989, thence northwesterly along the shoreline to the point of commencement. And containing one acre more or less. For the purpose of containing floats and houses for mooring small boats.

RONALD ALFRED WOOD.
Dated December 8th, 1951.

HARD ON DEPOSITORS

Banks Pay Interest On One-Sided Plan

By HARRY YOUNG, Times Business Editor

Private individuals looking for interest on short-term lendings should note that the savings departments of Canadian banks may not be the most suitable medium.

This is due to the practise of the banks in calculating interest upon the minimum sum of savings account over a period of three months, which coincides, not with the time of deposit, but of the bank's own quarterly computation period.

Example: If the bank quarter for interest calculation is Sept. 1-Nov. 30, then a person depositing $1,000 on say Sept. 7 would have to wait until Dec. 1 before this sum qualifies for the 1½ per cent interest which the bank pays on such savings.

Many people do not know about this one-sided arrangement but learn their lesson the hard way. A bank official, who did not attempt to justify the bank's action, said "It is done for ease of computation, but I realize it creates ill-feeling and is something which should be considered for revision."

The answer for those seeking short term interest bearing deposits is in Canadian Savings Bonds on which interest additions are made monthly, and in the case of the most recent issue the rate for the first 21 months is 2½ per cent, which in any case is higher than that paid by the more rapacious banking institutions.

* * *

Robert Rae, president of the Dominion Bank has this to say on Mr. Everyman's inflation problem.

Many Canadians "fail to recognize inflation . . . because most earned incomes have been forced up faster than the cost-of-living has increased . . . in raising their own dollar income they are blinded to the fact that in printing more and more dollar bills to finance these enlarged incomes the real worth of the savings on which they depend for their future solvency is being destroyed gradually . . . Millions of Canadians more prosperous than they were in 1939 are destined when they die to leave their widows and children unnecessarily poor."

LATEST DIVIDEND DECLARATIONS

CANADIAN INDUSTRIES LTD.—40 cents payable Jan. 31; record Jan. 2; xd Dec. 31.

CANADIAN PERMANENT MORTGAGE CORP.—50 cents payable Jan. 2; record Dec. 15; xd Dec. 14.

ANGLO HURONIAN—25 cents payable Jan. 23; record Dec. 27; xd Dec. 26.

FLASH FASTENERS OF CAN.—Preferred 25 cents payable Jan. 15; record Jan. 7; xd Jan. 4.

GREAT WEST SADDLERY—$2.00 payable Dec. 31; record Dec. 20; xd Dec. 19.

IMPERIAL BANK—30 cents payable Feb. 1; record Dec. 31; xd Dec. 28.

SCARFE & CO.—A 20 cents, B 10 cents payable Feb. 1; record Jan. 15; xd Jan. 12.

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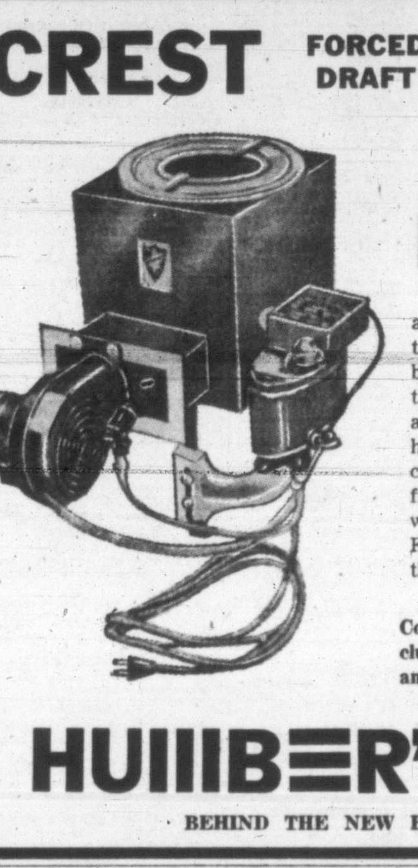
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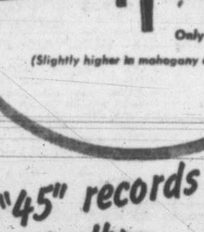
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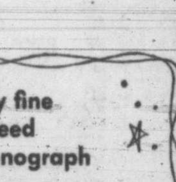
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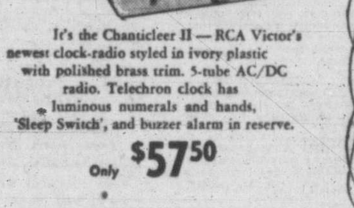
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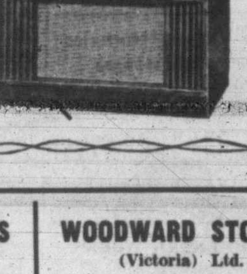

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VITAL STATISTICS

1 BIRTHS

RYDER—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ryder (nee Velma Jean McLorie), R.R. No. 1, Royal Oak, B.C., on December 12, 1951, at St. Joseph's Hospital, a son, Norman Glenn, a brother for Katherine.

4 DEATHS

HANDLEY—At the residence, 3470 Seymour Avenue, on December 10, 1951, Philip Handley, husband of Julia Elizabeth Handley and a resident here for the past 37 years. He leaves, besides his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Marian Salter and Mrs. Dora Niven of Vancouver, and Mrs. Phyllis Paton of Victoria; one son, Harry, of Victoria; two grandsons; one granddaughter; two great-grandsons and one great-granddaughter; also a brother in England. Private funeral services will be held on Saturday morning, December 15, at 11 o'clock in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel, Rev. Canon R. Willis officiating. Cremation. (No flowers by request.)

KENNEDY — Passed away at the St. Joseph's Hospital on December 12, 1951, Mr. James Kennedy, born in Liverpool, England, and a resident of Victoria for the past 80 years, late residence 908 Russell Street. Survived by three sons, James Richard, Norman and John Joseph; three daughters, Miss Ethel Kennedy, Mrs. Sadie Clark and Mrs. William H. Davies, four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren, all of Victoria. Private funeral services will be held at the Sands Mortuary Limited "Memorial Chapel of Chimes" on Friday, December 14, 1951, at 3.15 p.m. Archdeacon Robert Connell will officiate. Interment in the Colwood Burial Park. No flowers by special request.

RUSK—At the Veterans' Hospital on December 11, 1951, Austin Walter Rusk, aged 62 years, of 223 Robert Street. He leaves besides his wife, Leah Maud, one daughter, Mrs. H. (Vida) Huntley of Victoria; two sons, Charlie of Halbright, Sask., and Harold of Arrowsmith, B.C.; six grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Anderson of northern Saskatchewan; also three brothers, Hector of Bissett, Man.; Charlie of Enninferry, Sask., and George of Port Nelson, B.C. Funeral services will be held on Friday afternoon at 1.15 o'clock in St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill Crossroad, Rev. Canon F. Pike officiating. Interment in St. Luke's Churchyard. McCall Brothers, Funeral Directors.

TUCKEY—At St. Joseph's Hospital on December 11, 1951, Mary Grace, beloved wife of William R. T. Tuckey, 1645 Hollywood Crescent. Survived by her husband one daughter, Grace Dorothy, at home; and one sister, Alice Donovan, County Cork, Ireland. Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Friday at 3 p.m. Ven. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

6 MEMORIAMS

PARKER—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. H. Parker, died December 13, 1949. Sadly missed by her two daughters, Mrs. G. Ballam and Mrs. A. Smith.

7 FUNERAL DIRECTORS

SANDS MORTUARY LTD.
"The Memorial Chapel of Chimes"
EMPIRE 7511
QUADRA AT NORTH PARK

THOMSON FUNERAL HOME
Est. 1911 Formerly of Winnipeg
Geo. P. Thomson, J. L. Irving
Geo. A. Thomson
PERSONALIZED SERVICE
625 Quadra Street G arden 2612

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Graham E. McCall Torrey A. McCall
(And Associates)
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HAYWARD'S
B.C. Funeral Co., Ltd.
(ESTABLISHED 1867)
34 BROUGHTON ST. Phone EMPIRE 3614

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8 FLORISTS

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DESIGNS FOR ALL OCCASIONS — POLLOCK Florists, 1318 Douglas. G 5313.

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B EACON 3331
SWEETHEART FLORISTS
NIGHT B EACON 3680

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10 ANNOUNCEMENTS

JACQUELINE LOWRY FORMERLY OF Jacquelines Beauty Salon wishes to tell all her customers she'll be glad to see them at Strathcona Beauty Parlor. Phone B 5233.

WINNER OF CAKE, MAJOR JOHN HEBden Gillespie, I.O.D.E. Eric Robinson, No. 1299.

DR. JAMES FIDDESS WISHES TO ANnounce that he is now located at 229 Pemberton Bldg., 625 Fort St., telephone E 9876.

TOBY JUG, ELK LAKE, DEVONSHIRE cream teas served daily; for reservations phone Colquitz 47R.

HEAR YE! WITH THE VIBRAPHONE Hearing Aid. No batteries. $15. Thirty-day trial. 114, 745 Yates. Empire 0233.

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THE HAUNTED BOOKSHOP
845 FORT STREET B 1427

11 COMING EVENTS

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NEW YEAR'S EVE
DANCE AND FROLIC AT THE SIROCCO ballroom. Tickets now on sale. $12.50 per couple, including floor show and hot turkey dinner. E 9221.

SOCIAL CREDIT MEETING THURSDAY, December 13th at 8 p.m. Williams Hall, 749 Broughton. Speaker: Mr. W. Chant. Topic: "Why the Questions of Money Concerns Us."

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Old-time dancing every Saturday at Fraser Street. Stewart's Orchestra. Scotty McKenzie M.C. Coffee served. All welcome.

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VICTORIA WHIST AND BRIDGE E 8033

12 LOST AND FOUND

WILL PERSON WHO PICKED UP EYEglasses by mistake Hudson's Bay sitting room Tuesday, return to personnel Hudson's Bay. Thank you.

LOST—MAN'S FAWN CASHMERE PULLover outside Individual Cleaners at the Junction, Friday afternoon. Reward. G 6384.

FOUND — WEST HIGHLAND TERRIER, Quadra and Princess. Owner please contact E 1633.

LOST—TWO BLACK LABRADORS, FEmales, Albion 45-Y or Saanich police. Reward.

LOST—LADY'S GOLD WRIST WATCH, Initials on back D. I. Cooper-C.W.A.C. 501 Macaulay Street.

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LOST—ONE BLACK BILLFOLD CONTAINing money and raffle tickets. Reward. Notify Albion 92X.

LOST— BLACK AND WHITE CAT IN vicinity of Heywood and Oliphant St. G 3268.

LOST IN TOWN ON THURSDAY, A large black and gold drop earring. G 2742.

LOST BETWEEN LAKE HILL AND CITY, license plate No. 228-546. B 5920.

LOST—ONE CANVAS BAG AND SEVEN duck decoys. Finder please Phone G 4618.

LOST—RED LEATHER BILLFOLD, VICINity Sidney. Reward. Sidney 154X.

13 WANTED—MALE HELP

SALESMAN FOR FASTEST GROWING business in Victoria, high potential earnings, steady employment for right man. Apply to Ford Bond Rockgas Co., 2503 Douglas Street.

WANTED COMPETENT DRAFTSMAN BY local contractor. Steady or part-time employment. State qualification and salary expected. Box 2049, Victoria Press.

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WANTED—COAL SWAMPERS. 851 PHOENix. E 0926.

13a SALESMEN AND AGENTS

WANTED BY LEADING SOFT DRINK company, driver-salesman for permanent position. Applicant must have thorough knowledge of Vancouver Island and must have current chauffeur's licence. Previous experience in this line of business will be of advantage. Reply in own handwriting giving full details in first letter. Box 174 Victoria Press.

WILSON MOTORS REQUIRES AN EXperienced salesman whom we will train to sell new Chevrolet cars and trucks. Good salary and commission. All replies treated confidentially. Apply to the Sales Manager.

SALESMAN WANTED. A MAN WITH EXperience to take charge of our No. 2 lot (837 Yates St.). Good salary plus car and gasoline, plus bonus in sales. Apply S. Kendall, sales manager, J. M. Wood Motors, 1061 Yates St.

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14 WANTED—FEMALE HELP

YOU MAY BE THE ONE WE ARE LOOKing for! We need smart women to act as neighborhood representatives for Avon Cosmetics. Please write Box 2044, Victoria Press for appointment.

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WANTED, EXPERIENCED GROCERY clerk. Permanent position. One able to drive car preferred. Apply View Royal Red and White Store.

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ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
P.O. BOX NO. 1 OR 532 VICTORIA
EMPIRE 9151

21a BUSINESS PERSONALS

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BRIDGE LESSON

by Oswald Jacoby

Most bridge players think of a trump coup only when they are in a very high contract. Occasionally, however, this rare play can be employed in a lowly part score, as may be seen from today's hand originally played by Alexander Nusinoff, New York bridge expert.

The bidding was very tame, logically enough, and Nusinoff won the opening heart lead in his own hand with the ace, not expecting any fireworks in the play. He promptly laid down the ace and king of diamonds, discovering the bad trump break when West discarded the eight of clubs.

Unshaken by the bad break, Nusinoff entered dummy with the king of hearts and returned a heart through East. This put East on the horns of a dilemma. Whether East ruffed or discarded, South could fulfill the contract.

East actually ruffed with the ten of diamonds and Nusinoff discarded a club. East next returned a club to dummy's ace, and another heart was led back.

What was East to do now? If he ruffed, South could over-ruff and draw trumps. Hence East discarded a club, whereupon South ruffed with the deuce of diamonds. At this point South had already won six tricks and could afford to lead any black card from his hand.

The defenders could take their clubs and spades, but eventually South would make his queen-nine of trumps, fulfilling the contract.

NORTH 18
♠ 8 7 4
♥ K 7 5 4 3
♦ 4 3
♣ A 3 2

WEST
♠ A 10 3 2
♥ 10 9 8 6
♦ 5
♣ K J 8 7

EAST
♠ K J 9
♥ Q J
♦ J 10 8 7 6
♣ Q 10 9

SOUTH (D)
♠ Q 6 5
♥ A 2
♦ A K Q 9 2
♣ 6 5 4

East-West vul.

South	West	North	East
1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥	Pass
2 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead—♥ 10

21a BUSINESS PERSONALS

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STOP!
Don't throw that old fur coat away until you have called FOSTER'S FUR STORE. E 2514. Lovely shorties coats or capes can be made up at little cost.

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935 MASON ST. — AUTO GLASS — B 1932

23a SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

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24 MUSIC

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Because in the early years so few concerts were given it has taken more than 109 years to reach the 5000th official concert. Only three concerts were given the first season 1842-43 with the initial performance taking place in the Apollo Rooms on lower Broadway Dec. 7, 1842. The following year the number was raised to four. In the 17th season, the society took a daring step and held five concerts. Only since 1922 have 100 or more concerts been the rule. First radio broadcast of the orchestra was heard Oct. 5, 1930, with **Erich Kleiber** conducting. The orchestra's broadcast of its 99th anniversary concert on Dec. 7, 1941, was punctuated with the momentous announcement that the Japanese had attacked Pearl Harbor. Today the orchestra averages close to 120 concerts a year, and is rated outstanding among the symphonic orchestras on the continent.

ELECTION RESULTS . . . This being civic election day, both CKDA and CJVI will be interrupting most programs to bring up-to-the-minute flashes and commentaries on the returns commencing at approximately 7.15 p.m.

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TONIGHT ALSO . . . The premieres of the two new Motion Picture Relief Fund shows **"Stars in the Air"** at 6.30 and **"Hollywood Sound Stage"** at 7.30 on KIRO. The former has **James Stewart** and **Donna Reed** in **"It's a Wonderful Life,"** and the latter, **Bette Davis,** co-starred with husband **Gary Merrill,** in the difficult dual role of twin sisters in "The Dark Mirror." **"Amateur Hour"** at 8 on KJR. **"Hallmark Playhouse"** at 8.30 on KIRO. **"British Band Concert"** at 9 on CJVI. **"Winnipeg Drama"** at 9.30 on CBR.

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THURSDAY NIGHT PROGRAMS

Time	CKDA 1,340 kc.	CJVI 900 kc.	CBR 1,130 kc.	KIRO 710 kc.	KOMO 1,000 kc.	KJR 950 kc.	KVI 570 kc.	CJOR 600 kc.	CKWX 980 kc.
5.00	News and Roundup	Lone Ranger	Isbister Trio	Edward R. Murrow	Note by Note	Women's Page	Preston of Yukon	Easy Listening	Clyde Beatty
5.15	Musical Roundup	Lone Ranger	Fisher; Comment	Clifford and Clark	News	Seattle Parks	Preston of Yukon	Easy Listening	Clyde Beatty
5.30	Port Angeles Show	Bing Crosby	Arthur Godfrey	World Today	Folk Tunes	Chet Huntley	Sky King	Easy Listening	Jimmy Allen
5.45	Town Crier	Newscast	Arthur Godfrey	News	Elmer Peterson	Keyboard Corner	Sky King	Easy Listening	Who Am I
6.00	News; Scrapbook	Waltz Time	John and Judy	Ins. Heartstone	News	News	Gabriel Heater	Easy Listening	News, Sports
6.15	Tippy's Scrapbook	Waltz Time	John and Judy	Ins Heartstone	Unexpected	Headline Ed.	News Reel	Easy Listening	Bob White Show
6.30	Tippy's Scrapbook	Ornest Sportscast	Wayne and Shuster	Stars in Air	Marine Show	Bob Garred	Answer Man	Christmas Choir	Bob White Show
6.45	Tippy's Scrapbook	Orchestra	Wayne and Shuster	Stars in Air	Marine Show	Elmer Davis	Sam Hayes	Christmas Choir	Bob White Show
7.00	News; Cash Clues	News	News	Rod and Reel	Hit Parade	Silver Eagle	Murder by Experts	I.W.A. Green Gold	News, Headlines
7.15	Cash Clues	Bedtime Story	News; Roundup	H.S. Sports	Hit Parade	Silver Eagle	Murder by Experts	Guy Lombardo	Barry and Betty
7.30	Melody Bouquet	Chuckwagon Show	Eventide	H'wood Sound Stage	Goodman Music	H'wood Star Play'se	Singing Marshall	Chuckwagon Show	Cisco Kid
7.45	Melody Bouquet	Chuckwagon Show	Eventide	H'wood Sound Stage	Goodman Music	H'wood Star Play'se	Singing Marshall	Chuckwagon Show	Cisco Kid
8.00	News	News; B.C.	Citizens' Forum	Lowell Thomas	One Man's Family	Amateur Hour	Tarzan	News Around Home	News of Canada
8.15	Tel-Opinion	Voice of the Army	Citizens' Forum	Jack Smith	News	Amateur Hour	Tarzan	Nickel Club	Cecil Solly
8.30	Design for Living	Cross Section	Citizens' Forum	Hallmark Playhouse	Pa Knows Best	Amateur Hour	Reporters' Round-up	Cross Section	Gracie Fields
8.45	Evening Serenade	Cross Section	Radio Cartoons	Hallmark Playhouse	Pa Knows Best	Foreign Reporter	Reporters' Round-up	Cross Section	Gracie Fields
9.00	News; Chest	Br. Band Concert	Van. Concert Orch.	F.B.I.	Dragnet	Autumn Serenade	Glenn Hardy	Don Garrard	Guy Lombardo
9.15	Treasure Chest	Br. Band Concert	Van. Concert Orch.	F.B.I.	Dragnet	Autumn Serenade	Fulton Lewis	Voice of Army	Guy Lombardo
9.30	Treasure Chest	Dr. Kildare	Winnipeg Drama	Beulah	Harmonaires	Totem News	Rod and Gun	Monty's Music	Speaking of Music
9.45	Treasure Chest	Dr. Kildare	Winnipeg Drama	Club 15	Vag. Notebook	Stars Parade	Rod and Gun	Bing Sings	Speaking of Music
10.00	News; Sanctum	Six For One	News	World Final	Sam Hayes	News	I Love a Mystery	News	News
10.15	Spinner Sanctum	Six For One	Cases and Chases	Swap 'n' Shop	News	Dance Time	Frank Edwards	Vic Water's Show	Dream Weaver
10.30	Spinner Sanctum	Newscast	At the Organ	Swap 'n Shop	Here's to Vets	Dance Time	Chuckwagon Jamb.	Vic Water's Show	Close of Day
10.45	Sanctum and Sports	Lionel Barrymore	At the Organ	You and World	Guest Star	Dance Time	Chuckwagon Jamb.	News; Vic Waters	Chapel Chimes
11.00	News; Sanctum	Dillabaugh Delivers	U.N. Today	Starlite Serenade	News	Dance Time	Chuckwagon Jamb.	Who Beat Who?	News, Bill Ward's
11.15	Spinner Sanctum	Dillabaugh Delivers	Piano Playhouse	Starlite Serenade	Orchestra	Dance Time	Chuckwagon Jamb.	Vic Water's Show	Doghouse
11.30	Spinner Sanctum	Dillabaugh Delivers	Piano Playhouse	Starlite Serenade	Orchestra	Dance Time	Chuckwagon Jamb.	Vic Water's Show	Doghouse
11.45	Spinner Sanctum	Dillabaugh Delivers	Nightcap	News Final	News	Dance Time	Chuckwagon Jamb.	Vic Waters Show	Doghouse

FRIDAY PROGRAMS

Time	CKDA	CJVI	CBR	KIRO	KOMO	KJR	KVI	CJOR	CKWX
8.00	News and Sports	Newscast	News; Bill Good	Swap 'n' Shop	News	Breakfast Club	Cecil Brown	News	News and Markets
8.15	Dave Hill Show	Music of the Waltz	Breakfast Club	News	Breakfast Fracas	Breakfast Club	News	Time 'n' Tunes	Bob's Inn
8.30	Dave Hill Show	Music of the Waltz	Breakfast Club	Grand Slam	Breakfast Fracas	Breakfast Club	Bible Institute	Billy Browne	News
8.45	Roving Reporter	Music of the Waltz	Laura Ltd.	Rosemary	Dave Garroway	Breakfast Club	Bible Institute	Billy Browne	Bob's Inn
9.00	News; Lombardo	Newscast	News; Comment	Wendy Warren	News	Totem News	Breakfast Gang	Billy Browne	News; Casino
9.15	Claire Wallace	Music for Friday	Aunt Lucy	Aunt Jenny	Katherine Wise	Ann Sterling	Music	Billy Browne	Casino
9.30	Housewife Holiday	Kate Aitken	Morning Concert	Helen Trent	Margaret Melby	Break the Bank	Music	Kate Aitken	Barry and Betty
9.45	Housewife Holiday	Music for Friday	Morning Concert	Our Gal Sunday	Ruth and Dick	Break the Bank	Ladies' Journal	Music	Memory Lane
10.00	News; Lady	Six For One	Morning Visit	Big Sister	Ruth and Dick	Jack Berch	Glen Hardy	Y'never Know	News
10.15	Lucky Lady	Six For One	The Happy Gang	Ma Perkins	King's Row	Lone Journey	Tell-o-test	Y'never Know	Bob White Show
10.30	Lucky Lady	Newscast	The Happy Gang	Dr Malone	Strike It Rich	My True Story	Answer Man	Town Crier	Money Man
10.45	Between Us Gals	Women's Page	Musical Kitchen	Guiding Light	Strike It Rich	My True Story	Music	News	Home Harmonies
11.00	News; Spots	Dorothy Douglas	Air Kindergarten	Second Mrs. Burton	Double or Nothing	Betty Crocker	Ladies Fair	Man in House	News; Hits
11.15	Ink Spots	Waltz Festival	Man and His Music	Perry Mason	Double or Nothing	Vic Lindlahr	Ladies Fair	Man in House	George Murray
11.30	Lucky Listening	Piccadilly Parade	Man and His Music	Nora Drake	Like a Millionaire	Against Storm	Queen For Day	Passin' Buck	Perry Mason
11.45	Lucky Listening	Piccadilly Parade	Man and His Music	Brighter Day	Like a Millionaire	Chet Huntley	Queen For Day	Passin' Buck	Guiding Light
12.00	News; Crosby	Birthday Party	Man and His Music	Noon News	Life can be Beautiful	News	News	News; Melodies	News
12.15	Bing Crosby	Piccadilly Parade	News; Showcase	Cecil Solly	News	Sheelah Carter	Cedric Foster	Kiddies Karnival	Ken Hughes Show
12.30	News; Crosby	Piccadilly Parade	Farm Broadcast	Johnny Lee Wills	Pepper Young	Bill Mosher	Harmony Hoedown	Kiddies Karnival	News; Ken Hughes
12.45	Bing Crosby	Reminder Time	Farm Broadcast	Maury's Turntable	Right to Happiness	Ted Malone	Harmony Hoedown	World Today	Ken Hughes Show
1.00	News	News; Memories	Afternoon Concert	Hilltop House	Backstage Wife	Ann Sterling	Jack Kirkwood	Claire Wallace	News
1.15	Ed Farey Show	Club Diary	Afternoon Concert	Mr. Information	Stella Dallas	Ann Sterling	Jack Kirkwood	Help Your Neighbor	Ma Perkins
1.30	Ed Farey Show	Six For One	Afternoon Concert	Housewives Protec.	Widder Brown	Easy Listening	Double or Nothing	Double or Nothing	Big Sister
1.45	Ed Farey Show	Six For One	Domestic's Deal	Housewives Protec.	Woman in House	Easy Listening	Double or Nothing	Double or Nothing	Young Dr. Malone
2.00	News; Lost Found	Homemakers' Harm.	School Broadcast	Housewives Inc.	Just Plain Bill	Easy Listening	News	Take It Easy	Red, White and Blue
2.15	Ed Farey Show	Lionel Barrymore	School Broadcast	Housewives Inc.	Front Page Farrell	Easy Listening	United Nations	Take It Easy	Red, White and Blue
2.30	Ed Farey Show	Watler's Waxworks	Strike It Rich	Arthur Godfrey	Lorenzo Jones	Joyce Jordan	Happy Felton	Take It Easy	Melody Time
2.45	Ed Farey Show	Walter's Waxworks	Strike It Rich	Arthur Godfrey	Bob and Ray	Evelyn Winters	Matinee Musical	Take It Easy	Will Reader
3.00	News; Shop, Swap	Walter's Waxworks	Brave Voyage	Arthur Godfrey	Welcome Traveler	Valiant Lady	Take a Number	Take It Easy	News
3.15	Swap 'n' Shop	Stars Teatime	Musical Program	Arthur Godfrey	Welcome Traveler	Marriage Two	Take a Number	Take It Easy	Pick the Hits
3.30	Your Hit Parade	$1,000 Stocking	Today's Guest	Arthur Godfrey	Aunt Mary	Tom McCann	Harmony Rangers	Widder Brown	Tea Time
3.45	Your Hit Parade	$1,000 Stocking	Novel Time	Arthur Godfrey	Dr. Paul	Women's Page	Harmony Rangers	Second Spring	Waltz Time
4.00	News; Jo-Jo	News; Stocking	Sunshine Society	Curt Massey	Mary Foster	Lucky U Ranch	Fulton Lewis	Mostly Music	News
4.15	Jo-Jo	$1,000 Stocking	Sunshine Society	St. Louis Matinee	Road of Life	Lucky U Ranch	Frank Hemingway	Mostly Music	Rhythm Pals
4.30	Kiddie Kapers	Club 15	Sleepy Time Stories	Clifford and Clark	Fav. Records	Wayne King	Behind the Story	Club 15	Rhythm Pals
4.45	Kiddie Kapers	Sons of Pioneers	Lyrical Lady	Clifford and Clark	Fav. Records	Wayne King	Sam Hayes	Mostly Music	Star Time

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1938 NASH SEDAN $59[...]
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1936 FORD SEDAN $49[...]
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1936 STUDEBAKER SEDAN $29[...]
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1950 CHEVROLET ½-TON PICK-UP $159[...]
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ESTATE OF YETSUJIRO TAKEBE, DECEASED

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All creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the Estate of the above named deceased, who died on or about the 24th day of October, 1951, at Ganges, Salt Spring Island, Province of British Columbia, are required to send to the undersigned on or before the 19th day of January, 1952, their names, addresses and occupations and full particulars in writing of their claims and demands verified by Statutory Declaration.

After the said 19th day of January, 1952, the undersigned will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Estate among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he then shall have had notice, and that he will proceed to make final distribution of the Assets at the expiration of one year after the death of the deceased.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 13th day of December, 1951.

R. L. COX
Official Administrator,
Administrator of the Estate of the above named deceased.

519 Central Building,
Victoria, B.C.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GEORGE WILSON URQUHART, otherwise known as GEORGE URQUHART, deceased.

NOTICE OF ORDER

ADMINISTRATION of the Estate of George Wilson Urquhart, otherwise known as George Urquhart, deceased, who died intestate at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, on the 9th day of October, 1951, was granted on the 11th day of December, 1951, in the Victoria Registry of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, to Rupert Leslie Cox, Official Administator for the County of Victoria.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 13th day of December, 1951. R. L. Cox, Official Administrator, 519 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.

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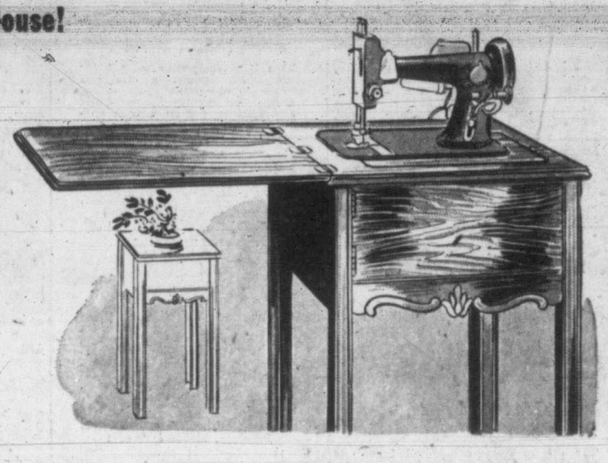

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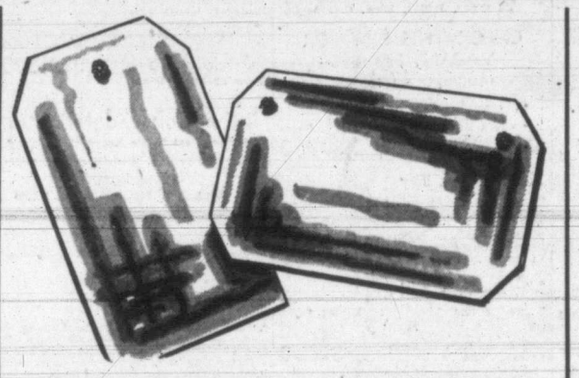

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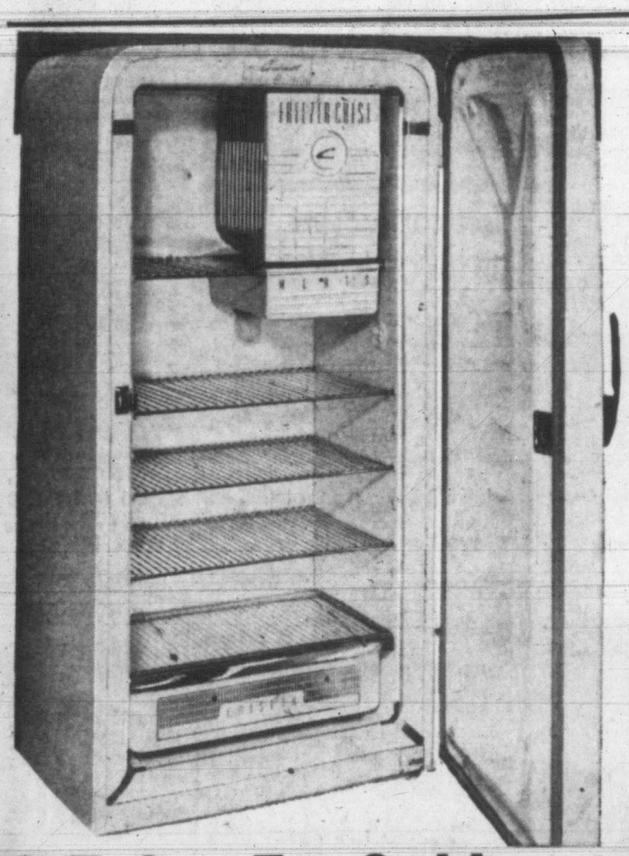

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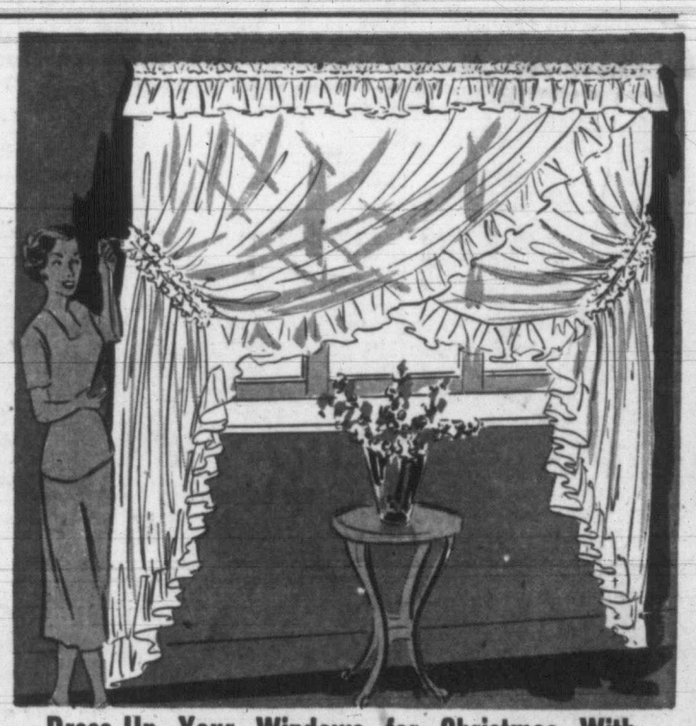

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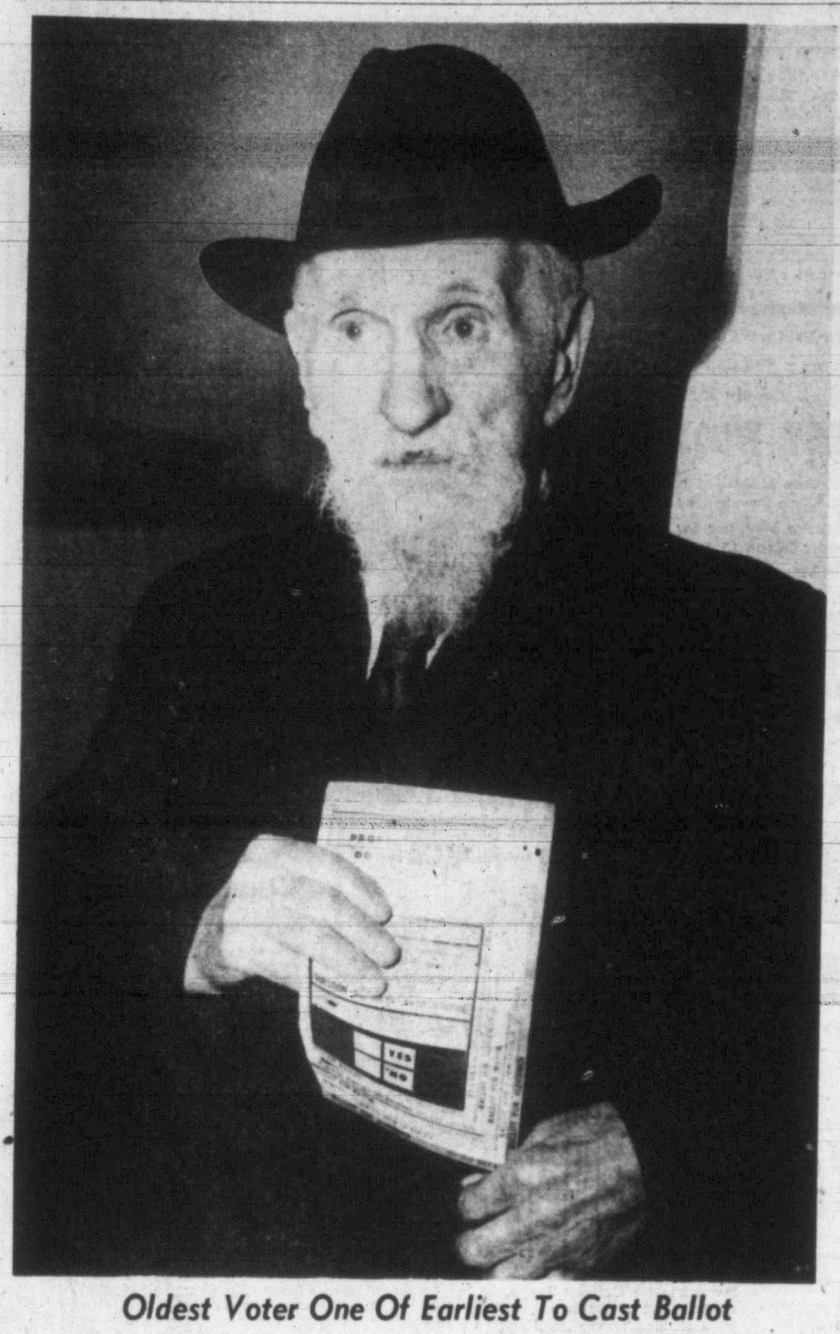
VOTERS SWARMING INTO CITY POLLS



Oldest Voter One Of Earliest To Cast Ballot

Sam Rainey, 819 Fort, 102 years old, was not only oldest voter in today's election, he was also one of earliest. "I've voted in all civic elections. . . . Early you say? I'm always early. Was born before breakfast—3 in the morning." Brought to polls by friends, Mrs. E. Edwards and H. W. Norris, patriarchal-looking Mr. Rainey shows ballots received from polling clerk. (Times photo.)

Egypt's Envoy Ordered Home

Action Explained As Protest At British 'Aggression' In Troubled Suez Canal Area

CAIRO, Egypt, Dec. 13 (Reuters).—Premier Nahas Pasha tonight announced the government's decision to recall Ambassador Amr Pasha from London.

He said the decision was made in protest at "British aggression" against Egypt in the Suez Canal zone. Under the Anglo-Egyptian treaty of friendship—which Egypt denounced in October—British troops are stationed in the zone.

Since Egypt announced its decision to get them out, shooting affrays in the zone have been frequent, culminating last weekend in the destruction of a number of peasants' huts by British army engineers building a road.

Meanwhile, fresh shooting incidents in the Suez Canal zone were reported today.

A British army truck driver was shot and killed near Ismailia Wednesday night. Earlier, shots were fired and a bomb was tossed at a British army vehicle. There were no casualties in the bombing.

United States Ambassador Jefferson Caffery today called on acting foreign minister Ibrahim Farag Pasha for the second time in two days.

Caffery told reporters afterwards they discussed Middle East questions, including Anglo-Egyptian relations.

Observers here believe Caffery's visits reflect American anxiety over worsening relations between Britain and Egypt.

Egyptian newspapers, meanwhile, reported that British troops are planning to destroy a second village in the canal zone, this time near Ismailia. A British spokesman denied the reports "categorically."

Egyptian snipers are continuing terrorist attacks by night, a British official said.

Collective Hug Greets Navy Ship

700 Ontario Seamen Welcomed At Base

It was better than Christmas for hundreds of Victoria wives and children who filed through the gates of H.M.C.S. Naden this morning.

And old Saint Nick never had such a reception as most of the bluejackets who poured off the cruiser Ontario when she berthed at the Esquimalt base after 3½ months on the east coast.

Mixed with the touching embraces of husbands and wives, were the buoyant activities of hundreds of children.

One babe in arms, who had been carefully tutored by its mother to say "Hi, Daddy," remained silent for some time when the father was finally found in the great mass of people. Then, after a little prompting, the child looked up and said "Bye, Daddy."

Another youngster, who had important news, tugged on his father's arm as he kissed the mother, and announced "Did you know I'm a seconder in Cubs now?"

FIRST MAN OFF

First man off the big 9,000-ton vessel when it docked was Leading Seaman Les Jenkinson, of Winnipeg. Being first for him is no novelty.

"I'm always first," he declared with pride.

Driver of the ship's jeep, he was swung ashore by the ship's derrick before all the lines were secured. He had the engine running before his car hit the ground and was off shortly after to get the mail from the post office.

Distinction of being the first man down the gangplank went to Leading Seaman John Harvey of Edmonton.

Among the 700-odd blue-clad figures scurrying about aboard ship, Capt. George Russel, of the Army Medical Corps, stood out like a beacon in his khaki dress.

But though he looked out of place, he didn't feel it. As ship's dentist, he is used to sailors.

"How do I like it?" he declared. "Why, I like it fine."

Capt. E. P. Tisdall, captain of the Ontario, was as glad as his crew to be back home, although he said the voyage to the east and back had been just fine.

BULLETINS

Settlement Near

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13 (CP).—Settlement of the wage dispute affecting 3,000 interior I.W.A. woodworkers is expected by the week-end following acceptance of new contract terms today by operators.

Northern and southern interior lumber operators have agreed to a 20-cent hourly pay hike for the members of the International Woodworkers of America (C.C.L.), Spokesman R. A. Mahoney said today.

Can Keep Meyer

OTTAWA, Dec. 13 (CP)—Cabinet sources said today that an agreement being worked out between the Western German government and the occupying powers will not require that German General Kurt Meyer be turned over to that government.

Historic Crop

OTTAWA, Dec. 13 (CP)—The gross value of Canada's principal field crops in the current crop year is expected to total more than $2,000,000,000, the highest in history, the bureau of statistics reported today.

The gross value so far is estimated at $1,856,000,000, but the bureau said that when additional payments and price adjustments for the remainder of the crop are taken into account, "This value may well exceed $2,000,000,000 level for the first time in history."

Promises Action

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13 (AP)—President Truman today promised what he called continued drastic action to clean house in the government.

He indicated he will set up a special agency to fight corruption, possibly Friday or Saturday.

Crash Kills 4

THREE RIVERS, Que., Dec. 13 (CP)—Four persons were killed today when a Canadian Pacific passenger train, from Montreal to Quebec, struck a car near Maskinonge station. Killed were two women, a man and a boy.

Police were unable to identify any of the four.

Best Crowd In 25 Years, Returning Officer Says

Biggest number of early voters Returning Officer Frank Hunter has seen in quarter of a century streamed into Public Market polling station at 9 today on an "ideal" election day.

Sunny and cold, it brought out voters from 21 to 102-year-old Sam Rainey.

By 12 noon the vote was 2,873 compared with 1,897 for last year's non-mayoral election and 2,664 for 12 noon of the 1949 mayoral contest.

"Total poll on past performance, judging by the 12 o'clock tally, should run between 10,000 and 12,000," said Hunter. "It would be a record number of votes."

Estimates placed the first wave of voters to hit 20 polling booths at 150 strong.

By door-opening time, a line-up of 50 was behind first voter, H. K. "Pat" Bate, Saanich councillor and Victoria barrister.

There were businessmen with brief cases and housewives with shopping bags . . . doctors, lawyers, politicians, laborers, merchants, retired folk. All were ready to cast ballots after a week of some of the most colorful campaigning in the city's history, with four mayoral candidates, 14 aldermanic and two police commissioner candidates.

Between 9 and 10 this morning there were even line-ups at some of the individual polling booths.

"It's extraordinary," remarked Hunter, smiling.

There was more of everything at today's election . . . more candidates in earlier to vote, more polling booths, 20, and clerks, 54, than ever before, more ballots, 17,000, and, most important—more voters.

The political fate of 20 men and women depends on where they mark their "X's."

To facilitate car moving and parking in front of the market, traffic chief Robert Doble had the heads of 26 meters removed. They were not "bagged" as the hood indicates parking is prohibited.

"That isn't the idea today," said Doble.

This year's voters' list contains a record number of 19,620 names, comprising 16,857 prperty owners, 2,296 householders, 467 licensees. Last year's total was 18,893.

Polls will close at 7 tonight and counting of votes will start immediately, according to Hunter.

First tallies will be reported by 8 o'clock and the complete count is expected about 11, depending on size of the poll. A recount will follow immediately.

TRUMAN DECLINES TO DISCUSS KOREA

Reds Stubbornly Refuse To Tell How Many U.N. Prisoners They Hold; Allies Firm

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13 (AP).—President Truman would not discuss the Korean truce negotiations for publication at his press conference today. The question came up, but his brief answer was made off the record.

Meanwhile, at Panmunjom, Korea, the Communists stubbornly refused today to tell how many United Nations war prisoners they hold and backed down on a 1950 promise to abide by the Geneva convention in their treatment of captives.

The U.N. retaliated by refusing even to consider a Communist five-point prisoner exchange program because they feared any mass reliease of Allied prisoners under present circumstances might lead to a "death march in reverse."

Both the joint U.N.-Communist sub-committee discussing an exchange of prisoners and another trying to work out a method of policing an armistice found themselves deadlocked at the end of the day. However, both will meet again at 11 a.m. Friday.

In the "policing" sub-committee the Communists strenuously opposed the U.N. demand for continued rotation of American troops during an armistice.

They also reiterated that the U.N. demand for a ban on new airport construction and inspection behind their lines other than at ports of entry for truce violations constituted interference with North Korea's internal affairs.

North Korean Maj-Gen. Lee Song conceded in the other subcommittee that North Korea had pledged itself in 1950 to "strictly observe the principles" of the Geneva convention on the humane treatment of war prisoners.

But, he said, that did not mean the Communist regime had promised to observe the convention "as a whole."

Elderly Man Dies In Dive From Causeway To Sea

Dead on his arrival at Royal Jubilee Hospital in a police ambulance was Maurice Dujardin, of Manitoba, who plunged from the Causeway into the Inner Harbor in front of the Empress Hotel this afternoon.

He fell before the horrified eyes of half a hundred witnesses.

Immediate efforts at rescue were made.

At 2.40 police dragged him to the boat landing, below Government.

At 2.55 he was pronounced dead at the hospital.

Sergeant Jack Mason, city police, and a crew of four constables and two firemen tried to revive the elderly man.

He was baldish, of medium height and weight. He was wearing heavy clothing and appeared to be in moderate circumstances.

Fishboat Missing

VANCOUVER, Dec. 13 (CP)—An R.C.A.F. Canso took off from Vancouver today to search for a fishboat missing since last Saturday with one man aboard.

The vessel, Mv. Forager, with owner E. A. Pratt aboard, left Bowl Harbor for Winter Harbor Dec. 8, with only half-a-day's rations and has not been heard from since.

H.M.C.S. Heatherington has been patrolling the area for two days without result.

PLANS PUB FOR INDIANS ONLY

WILLIAMS LAKE, B.C., Dec. 13 (CP).—A new pub for Indians only will open here Saturday.

At the request of local Indians, Benny Abbott, proprietor of the Maple Leaf Hotel here, has converted the hotel's cafe into a drinking spot for Indians only.

Vancouver Stocks Closing Prices

Little business was done this afternoon on the Vancouver Stock Exchange.

Where changed prices inclined lower. Latest bids were Western Uranium 3.80; Calmont 1.60; C. & E. 13.00; York .43; Vanalta .66; Van Roi .75; Pacific Nickel .39; Taylor Bridge .26½; Indian Mines .24; Highland Belle, 81; Anglo-Canadian 8.65; Sheep Creek 1.65; Reeves McDonald 6.10; Quatsino .46; Privateer .08 and Premier Border .34.

SELECTIONS

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

FAIR GROUNDS

1—Mons Beau, Pauca, Youdoit.
2—Halvera, Soma Lad, Florida Farmer.
3—Longhorn, My Julie, Fighting Louie.
4—Upright, Fiery Chief., Pirate Jean.
5—Nobility, Our Beauty, Legatee.
6—Light Broom, Evans Mountain, Clevelander.
7—Athlete, Tidbits, Misty Eight.
8—Joe's Laddie, Joggins, Plowman.
Best bet: Nobility.

GOLDEN GATE

1—Prune Picker, Firose Rose, Where Go.
2—Super Safe, Liscron, Slick Pigeon.
3—Colorado, Bee Golly, Combsville.
4—Major Abbey, George Did, Sea Don.
5—Reminder, Wickford Point, The Shaker.
6—Machine Age, Offset, Andy Display.
7—Record Time, Sir Jay, Lady Hardboot.
8—Gold Hunter, Penaljo, Sassanid.
Best bet: Machine Age.

RESULTS

FAIR GROUNDS

First Race—

Landmark Gal (Popara)	$9.20	$4.80	$3.60
Wiseview (Keene)		4.40	3.60
Three High (Roberts)			4.80

Time, 1.15.

Second Race—

Fiver (Baldwin)	$19.40	$8.00	$4.20
High Mayer (Popara)		6.20	3.80
Star Pigeon (Zehr)			3.00

Time, 1.15 1-5.

Third Race—

Terry's Cane (Cook)	$9.00	$3.80	$3.00
Helentown (Baldwin)		4.20	2.60
Devilnation (Craig)			2.60

Time, 1.49 3-5.

Fourth Race—

Local Band (Cook)	$4.40	$3.00	$2.80
Sully (Armstrong)		6.40	5.00
Senator Guy (Hufnagel)			20.60

Time, 1.14 2-5.

Fifth Race—

Quick Tulip (Walker)	$17.00	$6.20	$3.20
Synastic (Bailey)		2.80	2.20
Seasoned (Keene)			2.40

Time, 1.14.

Sixth Race—

Wisenheimer (Duhon)	$7.60	$4.00	$3.00
Ardoch (Perraluolo)		5.00	3.60
Sir Walter R (Redmon)			8.80

Time, 1.14 2-5.

Seventh Race—

Silver Senator (Hufnagel)	$15.00	$6.60	$4.20
Lesstown (Saumell)		5.60	4.60
Mr. Tops (Zehr)			6.60

Time, 1.14.

GOLDEN GATE

First Race—

Blue Rings (Peterson)	$14.50	$10.10	$7.90
Five Street (Schmitt)		7.40	5.10
Dot Shamrock (Jones)			5.10

Time, 1.46.

Second Race—

Judy (York)	$5.90	$3.20	$2.40
Grim Saint (Longden)		3.70	2.60
Johnnie Paul (Velzke)			2.80

Time, 1.12.

Third Race—

Larks Fly (Longden)	$5.90	$4.30	$2.50
Roux (Parker)		24.00	4.90
Hikapi (Trent)			2.10

Time, 1.11 1-5.

Fourth Race—

Remale (Peterson)	$5.30	$3.80	$2.80
Colonel Dante (Trent)		5.30	4.90
Toney Grand (Rosebrook)			3.40

Time, 1.45 3-5.

Magistrate's Heavy-Hand Hits Drivers

Magistrate A. I. Thomas literally "threw the book" at three motorists before him in Saanich police court this afternoon.

Charles A. Constable, 1019 Bank, was fined $300, or in default three months in jail. He pleaded guilty to driving while his ability was impaired by alcohol.

The magistrate imposed the stiff fine in view of a higher court judge's decision this week that magistrates have no jurisdiction to impose license suspensions under the amended section of the code relating to drinking drivers.

It cost Herbert W. Lane, Royal Oak, $35 and a one-year license suspension for dangerous driving. He pleaded guilty.

Donald C. Duncan, 710 Daisy Road, was fined $100 and seven days in jail for driving a car while his license was under suspension. The default on failure to pay the fine was an additional 15 days in jail.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

GOLDEN GATE

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Wasatch Chief 118, Big Pagan 118, Our Storm 118, Amy Grier 115, Bill's Agent 118, Red Velvet 118, Miss Acres 110, Square Root 118, Diamond Bridge 118, Firose Rose 115, Franceila 115, Where Go 115, Prune Picker 113, Legal Miss 110, Aropeen 118, Gaga's Holly 115

SECOND RACE—One mile:
Claire Louise 112, Slick Pigeon 120, Broker's Flash 103, Black Alibi 111, Supersafe 111, Emulator 114, Paternal 112, War Crest 107, Sunata 114, Wheat King 110, Ibo 120, Wild Call 111, Liseron 114, Cracks 111

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Combsville 111, Count Gino 106, Compotten 103, Tealing 103, Finch 108, Bee Golly 114, Pore Boy 111, Coloradito 114, Ariagain 111, Pernles Star 108, Spring Pledge 108, Super Sea 106, Kamalpore 120, Royal Kay 103, Whee Half 111

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Polynimble 103, Reporting 112, Trinitaria 104, Oregon Oak 115, Bullgent 112, Major Abbey 113, Bar Hobby 118, Royal Tip 115, Zingaro 115, Lady Kincsem 105, Sonoma Inn 109, Chickstone 115, Sea Don 112, George Did 118, On Your Mark 108

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
High n Mighty 108, Zine 117, Bullover 105, Civil Answer 112, Reminder 122, Wickford Point 119, Willow Way 119, Pituri 116, Lincrofter 116, Jet Black 116, Stage Driver 109, Plowbeam 114, The Shaker 108, Kate's Sin 104, Elizabeth D. 113, Long Green 122

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles:
Flaming Beau 120, So La Ci 111, Andy Display 108, Regal Reward 117, Machine Age 120, Wickenth 120, Equidea 115, Mazatlan 111, Annapolis Ayr 111, Monifieth 112, Union Flag 106, Wave Length 114, Offset 111, War Gyp 111, Redigal 114, Old Beau 120

SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Cap Jirondo 111, Abbey Chimes 103, Sir Jay 120, A-Spunky Gal 107, Record Time 111, Pigo Fire 111, Lady Hardboot 110, Sea Rajah 11, A-Lord Reading 111, A-Entry

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth:
Mags Bib Boy 111, Tommys Hope 107, Sassanid 114, Double Best 117, Gold Hunter 117, Pass Count 114, Penaljo 111, Call Me Slammy 110, Curly E 111, Pigeon Flight 111, War Memo 107, Purse Seiner 114, Lunar Tune 111, Scotch Lad 106, Switzler 111, World Wide 111

FAIR GROUNDS

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Mik 106, Blue Patsy 110, Lease Hound 109, Ighiam 116, Awakened 113, Lateasnot 113, Woo Woo 103, High Rigger 113, Bay Road 116, Roban 113, Pauca 116, Sand Crab 113, Sunny Hash 113, Martalation 105, Youdoit 113, Needlepoint 110, The Blue Miss 110, Moms Beau 110

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Bit o'Prose 110, Honor Pilate 115, Bernborosbelle 102, Time Bound 110, Halvers 115, Seamans Pal 110, Florida Farmer 118, Bo-Co 121, Soma Lad 115, Sunalf 121, Tabby 112, Shoppin Shoes 115, Happy Flyer 109, South Covert 118, Jeanie Drew 107, Saralee C. 112, Midyette 107, Boss Broker 110

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Populace 112, Longhorn 118, Joe's Star 107, Steady Date 106, Lucky Champ 112, Robber 112, Fighting Harry 112, O'Brien's Pat 104, Camps First 112, Fighting Louie 115, Hal's Chick 112, Jatak 112, My Julie 112, Zinnia II 112

FOURTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles:
Chevron Ace 106, Mighty Mousse 104, Edgebrook Lass 108, Constant Susan 114, English Star 114, Enthused 114, Music Hoss 114, Mattafor 109, Paul John 111, Fiery Chief 120, Pennoven 103, Pirate Jean 112, Famous Corner 111, Upright 117

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Jacktown 120, Nobility 120, Hiram Jr. 113, Our Beauty 115, Thistle War 120, Bold Rogue 120, Shell Diver 120, Rolling Time 105, Angel Food 117, Legatee 120

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Cole Young 108, Dixie Brown 120, False 104, Market Tip 104, Alphara 109, Evans Mountain 109, Equihaze 109, Clevelander 109

SEVENTH RACE — One and one-sixteenth miles:
Hi-Etta 112, Tidbits 115, Saw Buster 115, Royal Joy 109, Nonpareil 118, Misty Eight 112, Sun Bound 115, O'Olive 104, Hi Bunty 115, Athlete 110

EIGHTH RACE — One and one-quarter miles:
Iona U. 109, Killeybegs 112, Plowman 107, Mella Valenti 107, Joe's Laddie 114, Sir Husco 107, Joggins 103, Reighway 121, Noble One 107, Rene Unique 116

PHONE THE TIMES, B 3131, FOR CITY VOTE RESULTS

The Victoria Times tonight will provide a telephone service on the civic election count. Phone number is Beacon 3131 for the latest running count of votes. City Hall Reporter Aileen Campbell will be at the city market counting centre to supply the information as it develops. First figures are expected about 7.30 p.m.

Feller asks me would I like t' be driven t' th' polls. Not in this country, I says, I'll go voluntarily an' of my own free will.

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Paper sez, Vancouver Frowns On Sunday Sports. I frowned on a couple las' Sunday who whizzed past me and splashed mud on m' good suit.

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It's too late t' vote in Eastern Europe, but y' hev till seven o'clock t'night here.

Hundreds Turn Out To Greet Ontario

A rousing welcome was afforded the cruiser Ontario when she put into Esquimalt today after completing 13,000-mile voyage to east coast. Ship will undergo refit here and crewmen will be given leave. Sailor Fred Gilson, inset, created excitement on homebound cruise by falling overboard. For account of incident and rescue operation see story page 13. (Times photos.)